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☞ Country Produce of all kinds taken in exchange for Goods at market prices.

Altoona, April 28, 1863.

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Hat & Cap Store.

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SPRING AND SUMMER

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I have also on hand an entirely new stock of

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are of the purest and best quality, and our Chemicals bear the marks of the best manufacturers.

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Altoona, May 12, 1863.

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On Corner of Main and Caroline Streets,

where he will keep on hand a large stock of ready-made clothing consisting of DRESS COATS, PANTALOONS, VESTS, OVERALLS, KNIT JACKETS, &c., at Philadelphia prices.

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Altoona, May 12, 1863.

From the Front!

THE Subscribers would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that they have just returned from the East with their SPRING AND SUMMER STOCK OF

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BOOTS & SHOES.

Their stock of HATS & CAPS have been selected with great care, and with the view of suiting all who may favor them with their patronage. Their line of Boots and Shoes is complete.

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Thankful to the public for their very liberal patronage heretofore, they hope to merit a continuance of the same.

Store on *MAIN ST.* next door to Bowman's Exchange Hotel. SMITH & MANN.

Altoona, May 12, 1863.

CONFECTIONERY
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During the season she will also keep Ice Cream, of different flavors, which she will take pleasure in serving to customers at all hours of the day and evening.

Give me a call, and I will give satisfaction.

April 21st, 1863-6m.

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"MOTHER AND SON."

Good bye, then, you're going, my darling,
Away from the home of your youth;
Away from its innocent gladness,
Away from its faith and its truth.
The world, with its joys and its pleasures,
Alas! they are lighter than foam;
Yet these are the troubles which draw you
Away from your mother and home.

Ah! well, it is but the old story,
The tendrils which cling to our life
Must ever be breaking and bleeding,
And tangled and torn in its strife.
Good-bye, then, dear boy, and believe me,
Wherever your footsteps may roam,
My love is still watching, forgiving,
And waiting to welcome you home.

You speak of the great and the noble,
The temptes that tempts you is Fame.
You would climb up its mystical ladder,
You would gild with its tinsel your name.
Wake, my darling beloved, you are dreaming.
You need not a wanderer be;
In my cottage we're peaceful and happy,
Stay at home, dear, and share it with me.

You cannot? you will not? farewell, then,
Your visions must fade and must die;
Be honest, be upright, be fearless,
Sometimes think of *me*, dear. Good bye.
When world's hopes and treasures deceive you,
When you've proved them to be like the foam,
Then come back to the haunts of your childhood,
Come back to your mother and home.

Select Miscellany.

THE RIVAL ARTISTS.

BY THEODORE S. FAY.

"There was never anything so beautiful from the palette of a mere mortal!" exclaimed old Berto Linaiulo.

"The boy has signed a contract with the father of mischief, for by no other means that I know could this be effected!" added Antonello.

"What deliacy—what brilliancy—what harmony of coloring!" observed Donato.

"I really am perplexed and confounded," rejoined Berto. "I begin to believe there is magic in it."

"All the master spirits of Florence," remarked a fair lady of high rank, who, among the rest, had come to gaze upon the painting, "all the master spirits in Florence may hide their heads now."

"Your art, signors," added her companion to the surrounding artists, "can produce nothing like that."

"Did you say a boy, Giulietta?" demanded the lady.

"Aye, madam, and with a shape as seemingly as my own; and that is something, I ween."

"So young and handsome?"

"His face is as fair and unsullied as any on his own canvas, as fair—I had almost said as yours, madam."

"Nay, then, if he be so, it were worth a coronet to see him."

"And have you never, is it possible, beheld him?"

"Never how should I? he has been away—abroad; he is just returned to Italy."

Aye, madam; but before he went, and since his return, he has, I am almost afraid to say, often crossed your path."

"Mine, Giulietta! what do you mean?"

"Alas? madam, this young painter loves you—has long loved you with a kind of adoration which belongs only to enthusiasm, refinement, intellect and genius."

"How you run on! You are a child, Giulietta—you jest."

"No, madam."

"And if you do not, what care I?—This young man is audacious if he presume to think of me before I have interchanged a word with him—before I knew his character or listened to his voice."

"Ah! but, madam, you have listened to his voice. It was he who sung beneath your window last year, and who saved you in the path by the river from the ruffian Bandenelli. Despairing of your favor—for genius is ever modest—he withdrew from Florence and went abroad to foreign lands—beyond the Alps—I scarce know where. There his genius for painting drew all eyes, and he has carried his art so far that no noble is richer and no painter more renowned. He has just returned. This is his first work here. The critics are all in raptures, and his brother artists are dying of envy."

"Well, I hope he has long ago forgotten me," said the lady, with a passing blush: "I remember the boy you speak of—a mere child, noble and prince like, certainly, but a silly boy. I never supposed he had been bold enough to think of me. Travel has doubtless cured him. It was an idle dream."

"Ah! no, madam, Signor Dominica loves you yet. He sought me yesterday, and, to say the truth, induced me to persuade you to come here that he might learn your opinion of his production."

"It is most beautiful—it is heavenly! But where found he a face so lovely—not on earth, surely?"

"It is your portrait, madam, from memory, and he has really succeeded in"—

"Hush, Giulietta, your tongue has no bounds."

"Look, madam, he has entered the hall this moment."

"Let us go, Giulietta, instantly."

"It is too late."

"He bows to you, Giulietta, and with the prettiest blush. Yes, it is the stranger who has so mysteriously hovered near me—gained an interest in my heart, and then abandoned me.

"How, madam?"

"What have I said? Ah! Giulietta, you have betrayed me; you have made me betray myself. He is coming this way, too."

"Yes, he approaches—he retreats—he will retire—you may never see him again."

"Well, let him come. I will speak to him."

At a sign from the maiden, the young man approached, with a deep obeisance and a color that rose perceptibly at the unwonted honor of being thus publicly presented to the haughtiest and most beautiful of the Florence nobility.

"Young painter," said the lady, resuming her self-possession, and with a grace and sweetness that dazzled the eyes and the heart of that fervid worshipper of beauty, "your production, which attracts the attention of all Florence, has not escaped mine. It has afforded me unmingled pleasure."

"I am too much honored," replied the artist, in a low voice, "when such eyes deign to dwell even for a moment upon the humble work of these hands."

"No," said the lady, raising her dark, soft eyes modestly to his, and then lowering them beneath his ardent gaze, "you are wrong; genius like yours is humbled only to itself. It sighs over what to other minds is perfection; and even when it most triumphs, unconscious of its power, it most despairs."

"Speak again," said the youth.—"Years of toil, of despondency, of solitude and hopeless gloom, are repaid by the sound of your voice. Oh! speak again."

"You may claim from us of the present day what will be certainly paid to you by posterity—the meed of praise. Report speaks of your having traveled."

"I have just returned from Flanders—"

"Where you have been studying the delightful art in which you so far excel all your contemporaries."

"Did you mark that?" said Castagna, a Florentine artist, in an undertone to his companion.

"Silence," said the other; "let us hear the rest."

"My time was devoted to study and one other occupation."

"What was it?"

"Grief for the absence of one I loved."

"Is it in the north that you have learned this matchless skill of the pencil?"

"I am the possessor of a secret."

"A secret?"

"Aye, by which, more than by any skill of my own, I produce on the canvas the effects which please you.

"By such a frank acknowledgement, you make us feel that you have something better than a skilful hand—a generous heart. You are every way fortunate.—We have on this side of the Alps seen nothing so beautiful. In what way can I express my gratitude for the pleasure you have caused me in matter more substantial than words?"

"You embolden me to give utterance to a wish which has long dwelt in my breast."

"Speak it. I know you would ask nothing which I may not grant before you name it."

"Yonder face," said the painter, in a lower tone, "is the copy of one born only in my memory, and, till I approach the original, I deemed it not wholly unworthy. But now I am in despair—my pencil is uninspired until I attain the triumph of my art by copying it anew from nature. I am a claimant for the honor of painting your portrait."

A slight color grew deeper at this request, and their eyes met. The lady opened her lips to utter a negative to a request crouched in such bold language, but, as she encountered the glance of this young aspirant after immortality, she changed her mind, as women sometimes will, and said—

"Signor Dominica, I consent; you may take my portrait. Addio, signor."

The artist bowed.

"At four o'clock to-morrow, at the Palazza D——."

"Madam, I shall be punctual."

And they parted.

Dominica had received from nature the gift of genius. The same partial providence which had invested him with inspiration had bestowed upon him the form of Narcissus and the heart of Leander. It sometimes happens that such beings appear among men, recalling the golden days when the gods walked through the woods and mingled among the shepherds. The lady of his dreams was like himself, of half celestial mind and form. To his enthusiastic soul this young creature had presented herself as the star of the evening. He watched and worshipped it as something not of the earth, but above his reach, a light created to illumine other and distant spheres, thrice happy he, if, like a sad wanderer over the deep, he might sometimes behold it, and utter to its kindling beams his unrequited, his unheard prayers. What was his wild emotion when certain tokens awoke in his bosom a hope, a dream, an instinct indefinable as the light which first heralds the morn, but more intoxicating than the breath which rises from the vallies and plains when the grass, trees and flowers are moistened with evening dew. He had cherished only two burning hopes—the one was fame, the other love. The first he had acquired. Europe began to murmur his name with applause, and it was already recorded where future generations might read; and now, as if fortune, in a laughing mood, had resolved to fill his goblet to the brim, the wildest and most delicious vision of his fancy was about to be realized. He was going to stand before that young seraph, whose eyes had already said more than his tongue dared to utter, more than his heart dared to dream. He muttered to himself in a kind of blissful frenzy—

"To-morrow, to-morrow, at length! to morrow—roll on, leaden hours: oh! when will it be to-morrow?"

"A secret!" cried the knot of artists, gathered together in conclave in the grand square by the old tower.

"I knew as much," said Berto.

"I have sworn it," cried Antonello.

"To be sure," exclamed a third, "I always said it was a secret.

"The lucky dog! I, too, will visit Flanders," cried Berto. "I am only five-and-eighty—quite a boy!"

"And my haughty mistress, who queens it so before the rest of us, how she softened in his favor."

"He is a rare fellow, and rolls in gold."

She will marry him if he wishes. She is young and untamed—and her own mistress, withal."

"Jupiter—what a lucky dog!"

"I sware," said old Berto, "I will go to Flanders, too!"

It was night, and a very bright moon slowly ascending in the heaven rendered everything as visible, only in more softened outlines, as in the day. The young lover had wandered forth in a secluded path by the river, which wound for nearly its whole course through thick groves.—He was not, however, long allowed to be alone. Castagna, the friend and guide of his infant years, joined him, and they walked together a long time, and conversed earnestly. At length, Castagna said,

"Dominica, you know I have ever cherished for you an affection all paternal. I have watched over your interests with fidelity and vigilance. I have been your best friend."

"And so I esteem you, dear Castagna."

"But what is friendship, Dominica?—It is mutual confidence. It is an interchange of each other's thoughts and sympathies. If you have troubles, you communicate them. If you have pleasures, you divide them. Ah! I have a soul for friendship. Too well I know what it is! Too long have I sighed for a true and real return!"

"Am I not your friend, Castagna?"

"No; oh! no."

"No—how—you jest!"

"You hold a secret from me, Dominica. Between friends there are no secrets."

"But, Castagna, this is a part of my profession. To ask it of me is to ask my fame. You are yourself so good an artist, that you stand at the head of the art in Florence."

"Not now—not since you have returned."

"But I freely confess to all, that not skill alone, but a remarkable mechanical discovery only, places me in the eminence which— How you weep, Castagna."

"Did I? why, I believe there was a drop—I felt it rise to my lids. I did not know that it had left my lashes. I am old and tender hearted, and sometimes I think that I am almost falling into my dotage. Yes, Dominica, I did shed a tear—not from disappointment at losing the secret—oh! no, but at the fading away of a vision—a rainbow of the heart—a bright, deceitful, false—"

"My dear and good Castagna, what is it you would say?"

"Your friendship, my beloved and once trusted Dominica, I thought mine.—I pleased myself with the idea that you loved me. Except yourself, there was no one on earth to whom my heart clung secretly. I have seen you a boy at my feet. I have watched your course to manhood with a father's solicitude and delight. I have not always, perhaps, sufficiently discovered my feelings—but—"

"Yes, my dear Castagna, I know you have always loved me. You once saved my life at the risk of your own."

"I did. I was determined not to remember that incident first."

"Moreover, when I was in want, you furnished me with gold."

"That, too, I feared you had forgotten."

"Castagna, perhaps, indeed, I feel convinced that I have not been right in concealing from you my inmost thought and knowledge. Yet, in relating to you the secret which you desire, I am about to make a great sacrifice. You are now the first Florentine artist, after myself. Possessed of this secret, you will be the first. Yet, on condition that you never reveal it, it shall be disclosed to you."

"I solemnly swear it, dearest Dominica."

"Know, then, that at Bruges I met with a learned man, who taught me to despise water colors, and to paint—"

"Well?"

"In oil!"

"In oil! I see. And you have told this to no one!"

"Not one human being this side of the Alps has the slightest conception of it but we two. This paper contains the details. It will teach you all you desire. Now, have I not tested my friendship, Castagna? Have I not earned your confidence?"

"Nobly, Dominica, most nobly. Embrace me, and my thanks be—this—and this—and this!"

The moonbeams glanced from a glittering blade; its keen point, at each thrust, pierced deep to the heart.

There was a heavy splash in the river; the cloud sailed silently from before the moon: the breeze gently waved the tree tops, and Castagna stood alone.

"At length, then," cried he, "I am the first in Florence. I am without a rival!"

This incident, which marked the introduction of oil painting into Italy, is related on the authority of Lanzi.

FRIDAY AN UNLUCKY DAY.

Americans, at any rate, have no reason to be afraid of Friday. Mr. Timbs gives us this catalogue of fortunate circumstances occurring on that day: On Friday, August 21, 1492, Christopher Columbus sailed on his great voyage of discovery.—On Friday, October 12, 1492, he first discovered land. On Friday, January 4, 1493, he sailed on his return to Spain, which, if he had not reached in safety, the happy result would never have been known which led to the discovery of this vast continent. On Friday, March 15, 1493, he arrived at Palos in safety. On Friday, November 22, 1493, he arrived at Hispaniola, on his second voyage to America. On Friday, June 13, 1494, he, though unknown to himself, discovered the continent of America. On Friday, March 6, 1496, Henry VII, of England gave to John Cabot his commission, which led to the discovery of North America.—This is the first American state paper in England. On Friday, September 7, 1563, Melendez founded St. Augústine, the oldest town in the United States by more than forty years. On Friday, November 10, 1620, the Mayflower, with the Pilgrims, made the harbor of Provincetown, and on the same day they signed the august compact, the forerunner of our present glorious Constitution. Friday, December 22, 1620, the Pilgrims made their final landing at Plymouth Rock. On Friday, February 22, 1732, George Washington, the father of American freedom was born. On Friday, October 7, 1777, the surrender of Saratoga was made, which had such power and influence in inducing France to declare for our cause. On Friday, September 22, 1780, the treason of Arnold was laid bare, which saved us from destruction. On Friday, October 10, 1781, the surrender of Yorktown, the crowning glory of the American arms, occurred. On Friday, July 1, 1776, the motion in Congress was by John Adams, seconded by Richard Henry Lee, that the United Colonies were, and of right ought to be, free and independent.

REMEDY FOR THE CUTWORM.—When the corn has been up about a week, examine it. It it shows injury by the cutworm, gather the common mullein, root and all, and place it about every third or fourth row and hill, top down, in the afternoon. In the morning following, take a large and tight basket and shake the worms off the mullein into it, and feed them to the poultry. Two mornings are sufficient to clear a field of all they have hatched.—The corn crop has a greater enemy in the wire and web worms, which prey on the root of the corn, and for which I know no remedy better than perfect culture.—*Cor. Germantown Telegraph.*

TAKING UP OF A COLLECTION.

Rarely have we a better story, or a better told story, than this, from a reverend gentleman in Missouri:

The life of a preacher in a new country, from a secular point of view, is hardly as smooth and free from difficulty as a position in more cultivated and populous communities appears to be. The people are thinly scattered here and there, in different pursuits, though chiefly agricultural. Being collected from all parts of the older States, and gathered from every class of society, they met upon the same common ground, upon terms of easy familiarity, and restrained by no irksome conventionalities. People in a new country generally have a pretty hard time of it. They live a sort of a "rough and tumble" life, wearing their best efforts in a struggle for existence. Under those circumstances the material sometimes absorbs the spiritual; and the people not unfrequently get so far behind, with the preacher that they have frequently to be powerfully stirred up, from the pulpit. On one occasion we had a visit from the presiding elder of our district at one of our quarterly meetings.—We had not paid our circuit preacher "ary dime," as the boys say, and we expected a scoring from the elder. Well we were not disappointed. The elder preached us a moving discourse from the text "*Owe no man anything.*" At the close of his sermon he came at once to the "subject in hand." "Brethren," said he "have you paid Brother ——— anything this year? Nothing at all I understand.—Well, now your preacher can't live on air, and you must pay up—pay up, that's the idea. He needs twenty-five dollars now, and must have it! Steward, we'll take up a collection now."

Here some of the audience near the door began "to slide out."

"Don't run! don't run!" exclaimed the elder. "Steward, lock that door and fetch me the key!" he continued, coming down out of the pulpit and taking his seat by the stand table in front.

The steward locked the door, and then deposited the key on the table by the side of the elder.

"Now, Steward," said he "go round with the hat. I must have twenty-five dollars out of this crowd before one of you shall leave this house."

Here was a fix. The congregation were taken back. The old folks looked astonished; the young folks tittered The steward gravely proceeded in the discharge of his official duties. The hat was passed around, and at length deposited on the elder's table.

The elder poured out "the funds" on the table and counted the amount.

"Three dollars and a half! A slow start brethren! Go around again, Steward. We must pull a heap stronger than that!"

Around went the steward with his hat again and finally pulled up at the elder's stand.

"Nine dollars and three quarters!—Not enough yet. Go around again, Steward!"

Around went the steward again.

"Twelve dollars and a half! Mighty slow, brethren! Fraid your dinners will all get cold before you get home to eat 'em. Go round again steward!"

By this time the audience began to be fidgety. They evidently thought the joke was getting to be serious. But the elder was relentless. Again and again circulated the indefatigable hat, and slowly, but surely, the pile on the table swelled towards the requisite amount.

"Twenty-four dollars and a half!—Only lack half a dollar, go round again steward!"

Just then there was a tap on the window from the outside; a hand thrust in a half dollar between the thumb and finger, and a young fellow outside exclaimed:

"Here, Parson, here's your money, let my girl out o' there; I'm tired with waiting for her."

It was the last hair that broke the camel's back; and the preacher could exclaim in the language of "Ike Turtle;"—"This here meetin's done bust up."

☞ Mr. Stanton, the Secretary of War, and General Hooker disagreed upon a certain matter, in which the President stood by the General giving him full permission to carry out his plans in his own way. He said to Gen. Hooker in substance, "I know that the country will hold me responsible for the result of the spring campaign, but you are commander of this army, and you ought to know better than I how and when and where it shall fight—and I am determined to adhere to a resolution formed when I made you its commander—therefore you shall have your own way, and I will hold you responsible." The President and General Hooker were never warmer friends than at this moment.—*Wash. Cor. Bos. Trav.*

☞ Everything is very cheap in Japan. A first class house can be purchased for thirty dollars. Servants work for fifty cents a month. For the use of a horse and groom, one dollar and a half. A person can live comfortably in Japan for two cents a day, or six cents a week.

Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA, PA.

TUESDAY, MAY 26, 1863.

Glorious News from Gen. Grant.

We have been so often deceived into rejoicing over reported victories that we are inclined to receive with caution and misgivings all telegrams of important achievements. From the fact that our Western armies have always sustained the first reports of their victories, we give credence to the following reports from Monday morning's papers, hoping they prove correct:

WASHINGTON, May 22.

The following extracts are taken from Rebel papers of late dates:

REBEL NEWSPAPER ACCOUNTS.

BRANDON, Miss., May 17.—Two gentlemen rode to Jackson to-day and traversed the city. The enemy had evacuated about 2 o'clock. It is supposed that they number about forty thousand, and have retreated towards Vicksburg. Firing has been heard in that direction, and it is supposed that Gen. Pemberton is in their rear.

Before leaving they burned the Confederate house, the depots, the penitentiary, Green & Phillips' factory, Stevens' foundry, Lenoire's hat factory, and a block of buildings on State street, including the Medical Purveyor's and other government offices. Also both bridges over Pearl river, and destroyed several miles of the railroad track.

It is reported in Mobile that some of this burning was done before we retired. The Confederate House was burned by the proprietor.

MOBILE, Ala., May 18.—The special reporter of the *Advertiser*, at Jackson, May 17, says:

Arrived in reconnoitering train. The Catholic church of this place was destroyed, and the *Mississippian* office gutted, the presses broken and the type thrown into the street. The furniture in the Capitol was badly abused, and the Governor's mansion demolished. Ladies were robbed of jewelry and money. All the stores were sacked and their contents destroyed, and iron safes broken open. The railroad was badly torn up for several miles and the telegraph wires torn down. About three hundred negroes from hinds county joined the Yankees. The country was plundered generally. Farmers estimated the damage at from five to ten miles. Much destitution and suffering prevails.

The enemy evacuated on Friday and Saturday, retreating hastily. No serious engagement took place. The last of the rear guard left about two o'clock, when our cavalry pickets dashed in, killed a federal colonel and captured two others.

The Yankees captured and paroled two hundred South Carolinians and Georgians.

Defeat of the Rebel General Pemberton at Edwards' Station—Official Dispatch of Gen. Jo. Johnson to the rebel war office.

CAMP BETWEEN LIVINGSTON AND BROWNSVILLE, MISS., May 18, 1863.

To General S. Cooper:

Lieut Gen. Pemberton was attacked by the enemy on the morning of the 16th inst., near Edward's depot, and after nine hours fighting was compelled to fall back behind the Big Black.

J. E. JOHNSON, Gen. Comd'g.

REBEL NEWSPAPER ACCOUNTS.

The following dispatches are from the Richmond *Examiner* of the 19th and 20th insts.:

MOBILE, Ala., May 18, 1863.—The *Advertiser and Register's* special reporter, under date of Jackson, May 18, says:

There was a heavy and indecisive battle near Edward's depot on Saturday. We fell back to our intrenchments. Loss heavy on both sides.—Gen. Tilghman, of Kentucky, was killed.

MOBILE, ALA., May 19, 1862.—The *Register and Advertiser's* special reporter at Jackson, in a dispatch dated yesterday, says:

The Federals sent in a flag of truce this evening for the principal surgeon left in charge of the wounded. The officer in charge of the flag states that in Saturday's fight they lost six hundred men, took sixteen guns, and that our troops fell back across the Big Black, destroying the bridge.—They advanced eight miles north, and this morning found Johnston in line of battle.

According to our advices no artillery was lost and the bridge was not burned. Our force of twelve thousand men fought two army corps of twenty-four thousand, sustained themselves and fell back at night to their entrenchments. The loss was heavy, and the battle severe and indecisive.

The Yankees are on their way to intercept communication. Rumors, good and bad, are plenty.

THE REPORTED DEFEAT OF GENERAL JO. JOHNSTON'S ARMY.

MURFREESBORO, Tenn., May 21, 1863.—General Sheridan's scouts report that the rebels admit Grant has defeated Johnston, and has secured the railroad bridge across the Big Black, thus cutting off Vicksburg from supplies and reinforcements. This bridge is the largest in the South.

THE ENEMY AT THE CAPITOL OF MISSISSIPPI.

From the Richmond Whig, May 18.

Affairs have become very critical in the southwest. Grant's army have taken possession of the capital of Mississippi, the city of Jackson. This, besides being of itself a painful and disastrous event, places the enemy in the rear of Vicksburg, and cuts off supplies from that place. A battle, or an evacuation and retreat, must immediately ensue. Grant, by coming so far inland, loses all support from the navy, and exposes his communication to interception. The move is a bold one, and must be made to cost him dearly or it will cost us dearly. *Affairs look ugly for the present*; but luckily for the country a general in whom all have confidence (Joe Johnson) has reached the theatre of interest, and if the force which he can bring into action is what we have been led to suppose, it will be equally singular and deplorable if a few days, perhaps hours, do not give an entirely different aspect to affairs. We await intelligence with anxiety, relieve by strong hope.

THE LATEST.

WASHINGTON, May 24.

OFFICIAL DETAILS OF THE BATTLE OF BLACK RIVER.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 23, 11.30 a. m.

To Edward M. Stanton, Secretary of War:

The following dispatch has been received at these headquarters, and is forwarded as requested:

S. A. HURLBUT,
Major General.

REAR OF VICKSBURG, May 20. 6 a. m.

Hon. EDWIN M STANTON, Secretary of War:

Gen. Grant won a great and momentous victory over the rebels under Gen. Pemberton on the Jackson and Vicksburg railroad, at Baker's Creek on the 16th inst.

Gen. Pemberton had a most formidable position on the crest of a wooded hill on which the road passes longitudinally. He had about 25,000 men.

The battle began at 11 o'clock a. m., and was gained at 4 o'clock p. m. The brunt was borne by Gen. Hovey's division and M'Clernard's corps, and by Logan's and Croeber's of M'Pherson's.

Gen. Hovey attacked the hill and held the greater part of it till 2 p. m., when having lost 1,600 men he was succeeded by Boomer's and Holmes' brigade of Crechers' division, by which the conflict was ended in that part of the field.

Gen. Boomer lost 500 men.

General Logan operated on the right and cut off the enemy's direct retreat, so that he was compelled to escape by his right flank through the woods.

General Logan lost four hundred killed and wounded; we took about ten thousand prisoners.

On the 17th, advancing to the Big Black, we fought Pemberton again at the bridge there, and captured three thousand prisoners.

He fought in rifle pits protected by a difficult bayou full of abattis, Gen. Lawless' brigade of Gen. M'Clernand's corps charged the rifle pits magnificently, and took more prisoners than their own numbers.

REBEL ACCOUNT.

FORTRESS MONROE, May, 24.—The Richmond Dispatch of the 23 contains the following dispatch.

MOBILE, May, 21.—In Saturday's fight we lost thirty pieces of artillery, which were spiked and abandoned.

On Sunday the Federals advanced to take the Big Black Bridge, but were repulsed.

They crossed higher up and took us in the rear, when the bridge was burned and the works abandoned.

The loss is heavy.

Vicksburg is closely besieged, the enemy closing in on every side.

The Richmond Enquirer of the 20th says in relation to Vicksburg, if some happy combination be not made between the forces under Pemberton and Johnston, the heroic city must fall.

The Montgomery Advertiser of the 19th says; The enemy's cavalry were yesterday at Brandon, on the Southern road, twenty odd miles this side of Jackson, over which point we had a force to protect the road.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE NEW YORK PRESS.

NEW YORK, May 24.—The Herald's special Washington dispatch says that advices hafi been received by the President from General Grant, detailing his proceedings to the 20th.

He had fought five days, and captured 64 guns and 9,400 prisoners.

NEW YOK, May 24.—The Times' army correspondence, dated yesterday, says the news received from the enemy's lines that Pemberton was defeated between Jackson and Vicksburg with heavy loss in killed and wounded and 3,000 prisoners, as well as one division of his forces cut off and retreating in a southerly direction.

General Johnston attacked the Federal forces in Jackson, which retreated upon the main body.

General Pemberton also attacked Grant, but was whipped and retreated upon Vicksburg. The above is said to be the contents of a dispatch from General Pemberton to General Lee.

Gen. Pemberton burned his bridge and returned to Vicksburg with only three cannon out of sixty that he had taken out, building four bridges over the Big Black. Gen. Grant arrived before the town on the evening of the 18th, and now holds it closely invested. He had opened a line of supplies via Chickasaw Bayou, having cut the town off from Haines' Bluff, which is abandoned by the enemy and which Gen. Grant will occupy.

There was sharp fighting through the day yesterday. Gen. Steele now holds the upper bluff and the enemy's upper water battery, and gets water from the Mississippi.

Gen. Sherman's corps lost yesterday five hundred killed and wounded.

Gen. M'Pherson, who holds the centre, lost little as did Gen. M'Clernand, who holds the left.

The gunboats kept the enemy alert during the night, and probably the town will be carried today. There are from fifteen to twenty thousand men in it.

OFFICIAL DISPATCH TO THE PRESIDENT.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—At 11 o'clock a. m., to-day, the President received the following telegraphic announcement that "Vicksburg is ours."

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 24.—A dispatch from Mr. Fuller, the telegraph manager at Memphis, late last night, said that the Stars and Stripes now float over Vicksburg, and the victory is complete.

I have held this message, hoping to get the confirmation, but the line has been interrupted, and I now give it to you as it reached me. I think the line will be all right soon.

Latest from Europe.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The steamship China, with Liverpool dates to the 8th, and Queenstown to the 9th, arrived here at 8 o'clock this morning. The Arabia, Damascus and Kangaroo had arrived out. American affairs receive but little comment. The *Times* expatiates on the importance of the capture of Vicksburg and Port Hudson, and says it would open the Mississippi to the northwest, diminish the growing dissatisfaction there, and enable the Federals to claim one more of the real victories of the war.

The New York correspondent of the *Morning Herald* asserts that the Federal Government is appropriating three millions of dollars to convey 120,000 Irishman to America.

In the House of Commons, the course of Mr. Christie, British Minister to Brazil, and General Webb's attack on him, was debated. Lord Palmerston and others defended Mr. Christie. Lord Palmerston made some very uncomplimentary remarks on Gen. Webb, and said his letter to Earl Russell was treated with the disregard it merited, and if written by a British diplomat would be sufficient ground for his instant dismissal.

Italian affairs were debated, and some severe strictures passed on the Italian government. In the House of Lords Earls Shaftsbury and Harrowley strongly denounced the Russian policy towards Poland, and asserted that separation was the only remedy. Earl Russel expressed great confidence in the humane intentions of the Czar. The question of separation might involve a costly war, which England was loth to engage in, without the most pressing necessity. He believed that the public opinion of Europe would influence the Russian government to restore the Polish constitution.

It is reported that the Brazilian Minister to London is instructed to demand explanations, and if unsatisfactory, diplomatic relations will be suspended.

FRANCE.

The French Corps Legislatif is dissolved, and the elections fixed for the 31st of May and 1st of June. The Polish question is unchanged. It is again asserted that Napoleon will pursue his object alone if obliged to do so, and the insurgents confidently rely on his assistance. Numerous engagements are reported with varying successes.—It is reported that the French Minister of Mesine had ordered the ports on the Atlantic to prepare to receive the Swedish fleet.

THE LATEST.

Liverpool, May 9.—The Arabia's news to-day imparted a cheerful feeling to the Federals in Liverpool, by the encouraging deductions drawn from General Banks' progress. The loss of the Anglo-Saxon has created a painful sensation.

The Berlin Cabinet held a council yesterday to consider the exodus from Posen of large numbers of young men fully armed to join the Polish insurgents. It is reported that the ministers determined for the present not to declare Posen in a state of seige, nor to close the sessions of Parliament.

Cracrow, May 9.—The secret Provisional Government of Warsaw has issued a proclamation pronouncing severe penalties against any functionaries in Poland who may attempt to collect taxes for the Russian Government. Fresh arrests, and domiciliary arrests have taken place in Cracrow.

ANOTHER JACKSON RAID.—This afternoon a newsboy, in the absence of exciting news wherewith to stimulate purchasers, went through the street crying out, "'Nother raid by Stonewall Jackson!" An excited gentleman stopped him with "I thought Jackson was dead!" "Well, so he is; but his ghost is makin' this 'ere raid."—*Washington Republican.*

Judge Leavitt's Decision.

The Cincinnati papers publish Judge Leavitt's decision in the Vallandigham *habeas corpus* case.

After a general statement of the case, the Judge remarked that the doctrine was well established that the writ could not issue, of course, but only on sufficient ground sworn.

The ground for the application was that Mr. Vallandigham was not in the military or naval service, and was, consequently, not amenable to the military authority, and the constitutional provisions for the protection of liberty were read by counsel and commented upon at length. "But," says the Judge, "the Court cannot shut its eyes to the grave fact that war exists, involving the most imminent public danger, and threatening the subversion and destruction of the Constitution itself. In my judgment, when the life of the Republic is imperiled, he mistakes his duty and obligations as a patriot who is not willing to concede to the Constitution such a capacity of adaptation to circumstances as may be necessary to meet a great emergency, and save the nation from helpless ruin.

"Self-preservation is a paramount law, which a nation, as well as an individual, may find it necessary to invoke."

"Our fathers," the Judge declares, "foreseeing the result of ambitious schemes for aggrandizement, provided for just such an emergency as the present by granting Congress power to raise and support armies, and to create a navy. When they made these grants they were aware of the magnitude of the powers conferred in order to give the clauses effect. The rebellion of 1795 called for the enactment of a law in pursuance of these provisions of the Constitution, and it was enacted. It was under this statute that the President issued his call for volunteers after the bombardment of Fort Sumter.

"It is not to be disguised," he says, "that the country is in imminent danger, and that the crisis demands of every American citizen a hearty support of all proper measures for the restoration of the Union and the return of an honorable peace.—* * * The President may not be the man of our choice, and his measures be not such as all can fully approve; but these are minor considerations, and no excuse no one from the paramount obligation of lending his aid to the salvation of the country. All should remember that no evil is so great as disunion."

And again: "It is clearly no time for any one connected with the judicial department of the Government to allow himself, except from the most stringent obligation of duty, to thwart the Executive in his efforts to deliver the country from the dangers which press so heavily upon it." If Gen. Burnside has exceeded his authority, it is the duty of the President to apply the remedy. The President, being Commander-in-Chief of the army, must judge of the military necessity. He is responsible to the country for a violation of his duties, and can be impeached.

The power of the President undoubtedly implies the right to arrest persons who are mischievous and disloyal, thereby endangering the existence of the Government and the success of the army; and possessing it, he can delegate it to the Commander of a Department.

Martial law is defined to be "the will of the military commander, operating without restraint, save his own judgment, upon the entire social and individual condition of the people." To the objection that no proclamation of martial had been issued, it need only be said that no such thing is necessary.

After eulogizing the capacity and integrity of Gen. Burnside, the Judge adds: "Artful and designing politicians, disguising their latent treason under hollow pretences of devotion to the Union, were striving to disseminate their pestilential heresies among the masses of the people. The evil was one of alarming magnitude, and threatened seriously to impede the military operations of the Government, and greatly protract the war." It was with this fact before him that Gen. Burnside promptly issued his famous Order No. 38, which had been brought to the notice of the court.

He would not dwell further upon and only referred to it because Gen. Burnside, in his manly and patriotic letter to the Court, gave his reasons at length for issuing it. In the judgment of the Commanding General it was necessary, and it was not for the Judiciary to reverse it. The legality of the arrest depends upon the extent of the necessity for making it, and that was to be determined by the military commander.

And here, without subjecting myself to the charge of touching upon the domain of political discussion, I may be indulged in the remark, that there is too much of the pestilential leaven of disloyalty in the community. There is a class of men in the loyal States who seem to have no just appreciation of the deep criminality of those who are in arms avowedly for the overthrow of the Government, and the establishment of a Southern Confederacy. They have not, I fear, risen to any right estimate of their duties and obligations, as American citizens, to a Government which has strewn its blessings with a profuse hand.

Then, after characterising the rebellion as altogether unjustifiable, the Judge proceeded:

"It may be assumed, I trust, that in most of the Northern States reliable and unswerving patriotism is the rule, and disloyalty and treason the exception. But there should be no division of sentiment upon this momentous subject. Men should know, and lay the truth to heart, that there is a course of conduct not involving covert treason, and not, therefore, subject to punishment as such, which, nevertheless implies moral guilt, and a gross offence against the country. Those who live under the protection and enjoy the blessings of our benignant Government, must learn that they cannot stab its vitals with impunity. If they cherish hatred and hostility to it, and desire its subversion, let them withdraw from its jurisdiction and seek the fellowship and protection of those with whom they are in sympathy. If they remain with us, while they are not of us, they must be subject to such a course of dealing as the great law of self-preservation prescribes and will enforce. And let them not complain if the stringent doctrine of military necessity should find them to be the legitimate subjects of its action. I have no fears that the recognition of this doctrine will lead to an arbitrary invasion of the personal security or personal liberty of the citizen. It is rare, indeed, that a charge of disloyalty will be made upon insufficient grounds.

But if there should be an occasional mistake, such an occurrence is not to be put in competition with the preservation of the nation, and I confess I am but little moved by the subsequent appeals of those who, while they indignantly denounce violation of personal liberty, look with no horror upon a despotism as unmitigated as the world has ever witnessed. But I cannot pursue this subject further. I am aware there are points made by the learned counsel representing Mr. Vallandigham to which I have not averted. I have had neither time nor strength for a more elaborate consideration of the questions involved in this application.

For the reasons which I have attempted to set forth, I am led clearly to the conclusion that I cannot judicially pronounce the order of General Burnside for the arrest of Mr. Vallandigham as a nullity, and must, therefore, hold that no sufficient ground has been exhibited for granting the writ applied for.

THE "290" BLOCADED NEAR MARTINIQUE.—NEW YORK, May 21.—Letters from St. Thomas dated May 4th say: On the 30th of April the United States steamer Vanderbilt arrived in Portland, and after a few hours' delay, started for Martinique where it is reported the U. S. steamers Alabama and Oneida have the Alabama, alias "290," in an out bay. The Admiral declares that if he finds her there he will sink her let the consequences be what they may. News from the Vanderbilt is anxiously awaited, but up to this moment nothing has been heard from her.

☞ No movement of Gen. Hooker's army has yet taken place.

Brilliant Affair of the 13th Pennsylvania Cavalry.

Special Correspondence of the Inquirer.

WINCHESTER, Va., May, 18, 1863.

I do think that as bold and as brave a matter was put through a few days since by a detail from the Thirteenth Pennsylvania Cavalry, as has taken place since this war began, and reflects honor and credit on all concerned.

The party consisted of eighty men, detailed indiscriminately from the regiment, and were under the command of Captain Samuel Speese, of Company F, Daniel B. Meaney, of Company B, and First Lieutenant John W. Berks of Company C. They left camp, near this place, on Friday last, at about two o'clock P. M., and marched eighteen miles toward Front Royal, and one mile from the Shenandoah River, where they camped for the night. Next morning started at 4 o'clock, crossed the river, and entered Front Royal at 6 o'clock; captured a man, Miller by name, engaged in gathering up conscripts for the Southern army; fed their horses, and left for the back country at 8 o'clock A. M.; within three miles of the town captured two Rebs. belonging to Major White's command, continued on through, up, over, and almost under, the hilliest country this side of Switzerland, on the worst road ever dreamed of, for about fifteen miles, when information was brought that a body of the enemy, about one hundred and fifty in number, having with them fifty-seven Union soldiers belonging to the Second Maryland Cavalry, captured by them the day previous, near "Charlestown," was but about three miles ahead, and that another party, consisting of about four hundred, were upon our right, only about five miles off. Notwithstanding the menacing position of the last body, it was determined to push on to the rescue of our friends.—Words was passed down the line to that effect, and, as the commands "forward," "trot," "march," "gallop," "march," were given, every man pressed forward with what speed his horse was capable; the road was more like a by-path, and for three miles was down the bed of a brook, but the boys heeded it not. At the order "close up," they pushed forward, running and racing, apparently to be first and in at the death. Thus they continued until about five miles being passed over, we reached the Rebs. unperceived by them. The road narrowed down to a ravine; once through it, it spread out on a flat several hundred yards square, with a broad creek and the Manassas Railroad running east and west. On our right was also a deeper creek, then a peice of bottom land, then several good steep hills. Leaving about thirty men on the road, we made a "right turn" through the creek on to the botton, formed into line as quick as a flash, thinking that, with their superior numbers, they had descovered and would attact us. A moment showed that they knew not of us; we on the botton made a right wheel up to the hills, when "charge" was given, and with a yell that might awaken the dead, down we went, through a morass at the foot of the hills, over the railroad into the creek, and pitched into the right flank, while the party of thirty we left in the road attacted them in the rear.

Taken entirely by surprise the scarcely knew which way to turn, we routed them, we scouted them; in a word, we were into them in the most admirable manner, and they made off in all directions. We followed them up, bagging one here and there, until, on recall being sounded, and coming together, we found we had retaken fifty-six of the prisoners, and captured twenty of the Rebels. How many of them were killed we could not remain to see, as discretion induced us to get off almost immediately, to elude the pursuit of the main body, who, without doubt, soon had the news. We lost one man killed—Sergt. Graham, of Company F, brother of one of our Lieutenants, shot through both lungs. The fifty-seventh prisoner was shot and mortally wounded by the grey-back who had him in charge, because he refused to make off with him. He had to be left in the care of a famer near by.

We brought our dead with us, and made direct for Winchester, fording the Shenandoah after dark. The main body reached here at about twelve o'clock, midnight, but Lieutenant Berks, who had command of the rear guard on the route home, experiening much trouble in getting the stragglers over the river, and in tinkering up the overlone horses, did not arrive until eight o'clock Sunday morning. The whole fight did not occupy thirty minuets, and had our horses been fresh we would have gobbled up at least a hundred of the greybacks. While upon the subject of horses I must say this: that the regiment has been in service over a year, and yet have the remains of the first lot of horses drawn. I say remains I should have said remnants, as what we have are but as skin drawn over bones. All the feed in the world won't fat an animal that has as much work to perform as have our horses, and as much may be said of the men. They are moving night and day. I have know of one hundred and twenty-three men being on picket duty daily, and yet the regiment is called upon for at least one detail daily—sometimes two—for scouting. We do our share. We never refuse any duty, no matter when called on or for what purpose. From the means I have of judging, I believe all the officers to be brave men, indefatigable in the discharge of their duty, and laboring with great zeal to make a proud name for the regiment. Whether on one or on another, the sight of a grey-back fills our souls with desire and purpose—a desire to fulfill the purpose, and that purpose to free the earth of their traitorous presence.

A STORY OF THE SWISS GENERAL, FOGLIARDI.—A correspondent tells the following serious joke which accidentally befell the accomplished Swiss General, Fogliardi, at the late battle of Chancellorville. Accustomed to the broad, open and clear European battle-fields, where whole army corps can charge in battle line without impediments, and where the surging squadrons of cavalry are the sweeping concomitants of every army, he could not exactly see how a great battle could be fought in that tangled, impenetrable wilderness, and remarked to a Staff officer, noted for the force and brevity of his expressions, as well as great personal bravery:—"Zis is not a battle, zis a grand skirmish!" "*A skirmish!*" reiterated the Staff officer, "I'd have you understand, sir, that two or three skirmishes like this *would wipe the whole Swiss nation off the face of the earth, sir!*" and he rode down the line into the bullets with as much *sang froid* as though eating his breakfast.

SUFFERING IN THE MOUNTAINS.—A recent reconnoissance into the mountains of Kentucky, near Barboursville and Cumberland Ford, disclosed that the people there are as poor as they are loyal. The rebels resort to torturing women and children to disclose hidden corn, and take all. Men, women and children have been stripped of their clothing and shoes. One officer found two men stripped to their shirts and nearly starving. These people were first cleaned out by the necessities of Morgan, and ever since by the rebels. Starvation or flight will soon be the only steps left them.

IMPORTANT TO JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.—It may not be generally known that, by the amended stamp duty act, all transcripts of judgments from dockets of justices of the peace will require a five cent stamp to be attached, which must be cancelled by the justice giving the transcript. The person ordering the transcript will, of course, be bound to pay the duty; but it would save time and trouble for justices to keep a supply of stamps on hand, in order that they may be affixed when required. A neglect to comply with the provisions of this act renders the transcript worthless.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—On Thursday of last week, while the coal train going westward was passing Mexico Station about 9 A. M., a young man by the name of Wm. Cullison, attempted to get on while in motion, but accidentally slipped on the track, the train passing over him and crushing both his legs and otherwise seriously injuring him. He was brought to the Patterson House where he lingered until about four o'clock P. M., when he expired. His remains were removed to his home at Coalmount the following morning.

The Security of Pennsylvania.

A philosophic scrutiny of the Rebel news leads us to some important conclusions as to the probable plans for the coming summer. Impelled by their want of supplies and the desperate condition of their affairs, it is the evident intention of their leaders, if they are not checked or disabled by our armies, to bring the war into the loyal States; to leave their own self-devastated fields, and prey upon the plentful resources of the North. We do not believe that attempt will succeed, but that the effort will be vigorously made we have no doubt, and it will require men, system and valor to defeat it. In expectation of this we long ago urged the reorganization of the State militia, and that they should be so placed as to keep the frontier of Pennsylvania secure. The main thing was to get a living, practical militia law. The Legislature was urged to consider this; bills were framed and taken up to Harrisburg by authorized deputations from the city militia. The Governor was earnest and anxious, and yet nothing was done. The time for action has arrived, and we are not ready. No general scheme has ever been devised. Is this on the score of the certain security without such care, or of economy? The former judgment is very unwise, and the other is extremely foolish. We are not secure, and a Rebel advance if successful, would teach us whether preparation was poor economy or not.

When the magnificent outpouring of our citizens took place last September, it was a very patriotic movement, beautiful to behold, but the troops were so undisciplined, so disunited, so motely, that they exerted only the *moral* influence upon the enemy of *reputed numbers*. As a mass they were worth little for fighting. Even now, however, with the same material, if the Governor would call out fifty thousand men, and established them at a camp of instruction, say at the foot of the Cumberland Valley, one-fourth only being actually there at a time, and the rest ready to move at an hour's notice, they would soon come into proper form and consistency, their duty thus divided, would not be onerous, and the Pennsylvania frontier would be safe, for the very knowledge that it was thus guarded would deter the Rebels from assulting it.

It is very well to say that it is the part of the General Government and the Federal armies to oppose the Rebel advance. That will avail us little when the war is transferred to our own soil Our armies will, doubtless, do all they can, but we can be of great collateral services by such a course.

It is particularly important that a large proportion of cavalry be provided for such service.—To discover and prevent raids, to keep all parts of our frontier in constant and easy communication, and to equal, in rapidity and acuteness, the Rebel cavalry.

It may be that the emergncy will never come, but, if it be not improbably, is it not the part of wisdom to prepare; and, should it never come, the orginazation and discipline of our citizens and their temporary encampment would be of the greatest service. In this manner Rebel intentions would be checked, and our State militia be rendered a valuable force for any and every future emergency, especially as a school for those who are yet to recruit the ranks for our enemies in the field.

This question may again arise, as it did last fall. Should such troops, provided for State defence, be required to go beyond the State line? The answer is obvious to every disinterested man.—The State line is a mathematical line, drawn not for defence, but for peaceful boundary. The true military frontier for defense may lie within or beyond it. Where the troops are to go, then, should be left to the judgment of judicious and experienced Commanders, and not to the prejudiced opinion of each citizen soldier.

Some of our citizens may consider us premature in such appeals as those just made, but we act upon a forecast of dangers which, if not imminent, are at least not improbable. The ablebodied men of Pennsylvania should arm and organize, to keep this State, during the present summer, secure from every taint of Rebel footsteps. If sucess to our arms, which God grant, turns the tide of war Southward, we shall have lost nothing by the patriotic intention and honest effort; but if, by unexpected disaster, their desperate efforts to save themselves from famine, by devastating our rich valleys, should seem likely to succeed, we shall bless the day when we made ready betimes for the evil hour.

☞ We have nothing late from Charleston.—The preparations making indicate a speedy attack. Hope it may result in the capture of the forts.

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May 19.-3t.

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Resolved, That the second instalment of 10 per cent. on the stock subscribed for, be made payable on the 20th day of the present month, (May,) and that the balance of the subscription be made payable in monthly instalments of 10 per cent each, on the 15th day of each succeeding month, until the whole amount is paid in.

Persons wishing to take stock in the company can still be accommodated, there being a few shares yet unsold.

Altoona, May 19th.-tf. B. F. ROSE, *Treasurer.*

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April 14. '63.-1m.

LOCAL ITEMS.

RECEPTION OF THE RETURNING VOLUNTEERS.—Companies D and K, of the 125th regiment, P. V., arrived on Wednesday morning last. The programme for their reception was slightly changed by taking them from the cars at the lower end of town and marching up Virginia street, preceded by the Altoona Brass Band and committee of reception. Immediately after the firing of two rounds from the Union Gun, announcing that the train had passed Spruce Creek, people flocked to the depot from all directions, and soon the large space in front of the Logan House, from Annie to Julia streets, was filled with men, women and children, all anxious to contribute to the hearty welcome about to be given to the defenders of their country. As the train approached town all the church bells and the shop bell were rung and continuous round fired from the Union Gun. All work was, for the time being, suspended, and Annie street, through which the soldiers passed, on their way to the Armory, was perfectly jammed. As the procession passed through, the friends of the returning soldiers pressed in upon them and kept them shaking hands with both hands. At the Armory the hand-shaking was sufficient to loosen the joints. This through, the companies, as many as could be got together, were again formed in line and marched through several streets, preceded by the Band and committee of reception, and Lieut. Col. Szink, on horseback. Knowing that all desired to get to their homes and friends as quick as possible, the reception ceremony was made as short as a decent respect to the men would permit.

On Thursday, a pic nic, gotten up especially for the returned soldiers, was held in Beale's Woods, at which there was a larger crowd than ever attended a similar entertainment in these parts. The gratitude of the ladies was attested in the profuseness and richness of the delacacies prepaired for the table and every means of enjoyment in the shape of swings, a platform for dancing, string band, etc., was provided by the committee of arrangements. The day was delightful, everybody happy, and nothing occurred to mar the pleasure of the occasion. Previous to the close of the day's programme it was announced that a supper would be given the returned Soldiers, at Bowman's Exchange Hotel, on Saturday evening.

According to previous arrangements, the returned volunteers met at Logan Hall on Saturday evening; and, after some jovial interchange of sentiment and compliments between the officers and men, they formed in line and marched to the Exchange Hotel, where they were conducted into the dining-room—the men filing right and left on both sides of two long tables laden with all the "substantials" and "luxuries" of the season.—We would not attempt to give a "bill of fare" of the contents of those tables—suffice it to say, dear reader, it would have "made your mouth water" to look at them. Previous to being seated, the soldiers were addressed by Hon. L. W. Hall, on behalf of the Council and citizens of the borough. Mr. Hall's remarks were very appropriate and quite flattering; but who would dare say they were too flattering? The 125th regiment surely has done all that was ever required of it. At the conclusion of Mr. Hall's happy remarks, he was enthusiastically applauded by the soldiers; after which Mr. Richmond, (of Co. D,) on behalf of the volunteers, responded to the address of Mr. Hall, in a few brief remarks, which were received with rounds of applause. After some complimentary cheering for the speakers and officers, Lieut. Col. Szink ordered the soldiers to charge on the "breastworks" before them, and it is unnecessary for us to state they were successfully carried, to the entire satisfaction of all concerned. The members of the Council were present and did all in their power to make the occasion worthy of the town, and the testimony of the soldiers is, that they succeeded admirably in the undertaking.—Everything passed off pleasantly, and everybody enjoyed themselves to their hearts' content. After supper, a camp song was sung by the soldiers, when three hearty cheers were given for Mr. Bowman, the landlord—three more for Mrs. Bowman—three more for the girls—three more for the Council, and three more for "everybody." The soldiers then returned to Logan Hall, where they were dismissed. All then retired to their peaceful homes, without any drunkenness or rowdyism—thus proving that Altoona boys can be soldiers and law-abiding citizens also.

From the foregoing, it will be seen that the citizens of Altoona know how to honor those who have periled their lives in defence of their country and the liberties we enjoy; and the soldiers have learned they did not endure their hardships and privations for an ungrateful people.

To the Altoona soldiers yet in the field we would say, an equally warm reception awaits you, should your lives be spared to the close of the war.

☞ Rev. D. S. Banks will preach in the Presbyterian Church, in this place, on next Sabbath, May 31st, morning and evening.

PRESENTATION.—On Sunday last, a handsome Bible, costing about $25, was presented to Rev. S. S. Richmond, of this place, who was a private in Co. D, 125th Regiment, by the members of the regiment. While in the service he acted as the principal in charge of the sick and wounded in the regimental hospital, and occasionally preached to the regiment. The Bible was presented after services in Logan Hall, occupied by the Winebrenarian congregation as their place of worship. We were not informed who made the presentation address. The following is the inscription upon it:

Presented to
REV. S. S. RICHMOND,
By the officers and privates of the 125th Reg. P. V., as a token of gratefulness for his labors with and care for the sick, wounded and dead among them during their campaign.
Capt. GARDNER, Co. K, } Com.
" SIMPSON, Co. C, }
Lieut. CAMPBELL, Co. D, }

On receiving the Bible, Rev. Richmond replied:—

In receiving this gift it is becoming me to return my sincere thanks for the beauty and value thus received, but most of all for the moral expression contained in this act in rewarding myself and labors. I do not consider myself deserving, but since I know others do, I will be the more grateful and strive to live by the precepts given in the book presented, hoping that both donors and receiver may ultimately enjoy those beatific promises contained in the gift.

Extract of Vanilla,
Extract of Pine Apple,
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☞ The Sunday School Convention for Juniata District of the Methodist E. Church, will be held in Huntingdon, on Tuesday, next, June 2d. The Convention is composed of the ministers of the District and two delegates from each Sabbath School. A pleasant and profitable meeting is expected.

The Beautiful and rich Perfume, Union Boquet dedicated to the Ladies of the United States, for sale at Roush's Drug Store.

☞ On Saturday last, John Height was brought before Esquire Roush, on a charge of assult and battery, on oath of Edwin E. Jones. He was bound over to appear at next term of Quarter Session.

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"I can't see how it is done?" is the query. Well, we will tell you the secret—it is *cash only.* By this means I am enabled to increase my business and stock steadily, while other establishments are glad to decrease theirs. We are not compelled to add large profits to make up for losses by bad debts, and we save by paying cash for goods instead of buying on time and paying a higher figure.

FATHERS & MOTHERS.—Our stock of children's carriages and couches are just the thing for those who value the health of their children more than the small amount we charge for them. Those who use a carriage once will never go back to the old-fashioned way of dragging children around in their arms. Call and see our stock of infant carriages and cabs.

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Altoona May, 29th, 1863.

☞ Jacob Ambrose Bradley, late of Newry Blair County, Pa., will hear something to his advantage by calling on the Rev. J. Tuigg of Altoona, or the Rev. James Bradley of Newry. Said J. Ambrose Bradley is supposed to be somewhere in Blair Co. [May 5, 1863–3t.

TO THE YOUNG OR OLD.
Male or Female,

If you have been suffering from a habit indulged in by the
YOUTH OF BOTH SEXES.
WHICH CAUSES SO MANY ALARMING SYMPTOMS
It unfits them for Marriage,
And is the greatest evil which can befall
MAN OR WOMAN.

See symptons enumerated in advertisement, and if you are a sufferer,
Cut out the Advertisement,
And send for it at once.
Delays are dangerous.
Ask for Helmbold's.
Take no other.
Cures guaranteed.

Beware of Counterfeits and Imitations.

A CARD TO THE SUFFERING.

The Rev. Wm. Cosgrove, while laboring as a Missionary in Japan, was cured of Consumption, when all other means had failed, by a recipe obtained from a learned physician in the great city of Jeddo. This recipe has cured great numbers who were suffering from Consumption, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Coughs and Colds, and the debility and nervous depression caused by these disorders.

Desirous of benefiting others, I will send this recipe, which I have brought home with me, to all who need it, free of charge. Address,

Rev. WM. COSGROVE,
439 Fulton Avenue,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dec. 23, 1862–1y.]

MARRIED.

On the 14th inst., by Rev. John H. Schmidt, Mr. JOHN SCHMIDT to Miss FREDERIKA THEWER, both of Altoona.

DIED.

On Thursday, 21st inst., ANNA MARGARETTA, daughter of George A. and Matilda A. Wilhelm, aged 7 years, 6 mos. and 6 days.

DISSOLUTION.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, trading under the name of Steimer & Percival, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books and accounts of the firm are in the hands of W. H. Percival, at the old stand, where all persons knowing themselves indebted to the firm are requested to call and settle immediately.

SAMUEL STEIMER,
May 25. 1863–3t. W. H. PERCIVAL.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, trading under the name of Conrad & Reed, has been dissolved. The books and accounts of the firm are in the hands of Joseph S. Reed, who will make settlement of all accounts due the late firm or owing by it.

GEORGE W. CONRAD,
May 26, 1863.–3t. JOSEPH S. REED.

P. S.—The business at the Steam Planing Mill will be continued by Joseph S. Reed, who has purchased the interest of George W. Conrad therein.

GREAT AMERICAN
CIRCUS

Entirely remodeled and refitted for the Season of 1863, with entire
NEW BAND WAGON,
NEW BAGGAGE WAGONS,
NEW TRAPPINGS,
NEW HARNESS,
NEW WARDROBE,

and everything Elegant in the extensive, and which, in point of beauty, equals the outfit of any Traveling Show in America.

THE PAVILION

is large and comfortable, and is arranged so as to afford ease and comfort to the patrons of this Establishment.

THE STUD OF HORSES
AND PONIES

will claim particular attention, as they are among the purest blooded, and best trained animals in the world. Prominent among whom stands the

Great Talking Horse
WASHINGTON,

a beautiful thorough-bred Arabian Charger, who will be introduced by his trainer, Mr. DAN GARDNER.

Among the mules will be found Camille, Fire Fly, Prince, Jupiter, Dancing Star, Lucy Long, Grey Eagle and Bainbridge.

The Educated Mules
DAN AND DICK,

will be introduced by Dan Gardner, in a variety of Laughable Performances.

THE CORPS OF PERFO MERS

comprise the largest and best that ever traveled. Great Expense has been incurred in bringing them together, and we intend to give the

Best Circus Entertainment

that has ever been witnessed in this country. Look at the

GREAT ARTISTES,

and judge for yourselves!

Mr. Richard Hemmings,

the great American Horseman, and Light Rope Dancer. He will appear at each Entertainment in a great variety of his thrilling Performances.

DAN GARDNER,

the Old and Favorite Clown. As a good Clown is as necessary to a Circus as bread is to breakfast, the public may congratulate themselves upon seeing the happy son of Momus at each entertainment.

The Little Fairy of the Arena,

Miss Eliza Gardner,

is certainly the best Female Equestrian in existence. She executes the most elegant and classic motions, combined with daring Leaping, splendid Dancing, &c., upon the back of her spirited horse, while at full motion, concluding with her dashing act of LEAPING THROUGH 15 Balloons.

Signor Wambold,

the extraordinary Contortionist and wonderful Bonaless man; his performances must be seen to be believed.

John Foster,

the People's Jester—one of the most original and laughable Clowns that ever entered a ring.

The Polish Brothers.

These astonishing Gymnasts will appear in a variety of their classical and wonderfull feats.

George R. DeLouis,

will appear in his performances on the Horizontal Bar, and introduce the TRAINED DOG JENNY LIND, in her Amusing and Entertaining Tricks. Together with

Mme Camille,

the Beautiful Equestrienne.

La Petite Camille,

the pleasing Danseuse.

Young Sam,

the Pocket Clown.

HERR MARTIN,
W. HILL,
GEORGE KING,
HENRY PETERSON,
SIGNOR BALDWIN,

and the excellent Company who filled GARDNER & HEMMING'S Amphitheatre, Philadelphia, nightly, for a period of four months.

The entertainment will commence with the

ZOUAVE HALT.

The Performance will comprise every variety of Trick Riding, Scene Ridiar, Tumbling, Gymnastic Exploits, Two and Four Horse Riding &c., &c., with Music by the Band. All under the immediate direction of DAN GARDNER.

The GRAND PROCESSION will enter town about 10 1-2 A. M., during which the Band will discourse most beautiful music.

Two PERFORMANCES each Day.
AFTERNOON AND EVENING.

Doors open at 2 and 7 P. M. Performance to commence half an hour later.

Admission, 25 Cents.
NO HALF PRICE.

will exhibit in

ALTOONA, SATURDAY, June 6th.
TYRONE, FRIDAY June 5th.
HOLLIDAYSBURG, MONDAY June 8th.
W. H. GARDNER, Agent.

PLAIN & FANCY VESTS, of every size and style at LAUGHMAN'S.

SAPONIFIER,

OR

CONCENTRATED LYE,

THE FAMILY SOAP MAKER.

The PUBLIC are cautioned against the SPURIOUS articles of LYE for making soap, &c., now offered for sale. The only GENUINE and PATENTED LYE is that made by the PENNSYLVANIA SALT MANUFACTURING COMPANY, their trade-mark for it being "SAPONIFIER OR CONCENTRATED LYE." The great SUCCESS of this article has led unprincipled PARTIES to endeavor to IMITATE it, in violation of the Company's PATENTS.

ALL MANUFACTURERS, BUYERS or SELLERS of these SPURIOUS LYES, are hereby notified that the COMPANY have employed as their ATTORNEYS,

GEORGE HARDING, Esq., of Philadelphia, and WILLIAM BAKEWELL, Esq., of Pittsb'g.,

AND THAT ALL MANUFACTURERS, USERS, OR SELLERS OF LYE, in violation of the rights of the Company will be prosecuted at once.

THE SAPONIFIER, or CONCENTRATED LYE, is for sale by all DRUGGISTS, GROCERS AND COUNTRY STORES.

Take Notice!!

The United States Circuit Court, Western District of Western District of Pennsylvania, No. 1 of May Term, in 1862, in suit of the PENNSYLVANIA SALT MANUFACTURING COMPANY vs THOMAS G. CHASE decreed to the Company, on November 15, 1862, the EXCLUSIVE right granted by a patent owned by them for the SAPONIFIER. Patent dated October 21, 1856. Perpetual injunction awarded.

THE PENNSYLVANIA
SALT MANUFACTURING CO.
OFFICES:
127 Walnut Street, Philadelphia,
Pitt St. and Duquesne Way, Pittsburg.

May 12, '63. [3 m., inside.

For Rats, Mice, Roaches, Ants, Bed Bugs, Moths in Furs, Woollens, &c. Insects on Plants, Fowls, Animals, &c.

Put up in 25c. 50c. and $1 00 Boxes, Bottles, and Flasks. $3 and $5 sizes for HOTELS, PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS &c.

"Only infallible remedies known."
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☞ Sold Wholesale in all large cities
☞ Sold by all DRUGGISTS and RETAILERS everywhere.
☞ BEWARE!!! of all worthless imitations.
☞ See that "COSTAR'S" name is on each Box, Bottle and Flask, before you buy.
☞ Address HENRY R. COSTAR,
☞ Principal Depot 482 Broadway, N. Y.
☞ Sold by G W. KESSLER, Altoona, Pa.
April 7, 1863.–6m *.

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE!!

THE PROPERTY known as the Greensburg School Property, situate in North Ward, adjoining lots of Wm Dent, and W. A. B. Lach, is, in accordance with a resolution of the School Board, offered at Private Sale. This is a desirable property, there being TWO FULL LOTS OF GROUND AND A TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE. With a little expense the house can be made to accommodate two families.

For further information inquire of Wm. Boyden, J. B Hileman, James Lowther, A. Maxwell, H. C. Fern, or Jno. A. Baer, School Directors.

WM. BOYDEN,
May 12, 1863–tf.] Pres't Altoona School Board.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE!

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS for sale, or exchange for property in Altoona, a house and two lots of ground, situate in the village of New Washington, Indiana county, Pa. The house is a TWO-STORY FRAME BUILDING, 19 by 36 feet, fronting on two streets, with granary, stable and other out buildings. There is also a variety of FRUIT TREES and SHRUBBERY on the premises, together with a well of excellent water at the door. The lots are 60 feet front by 160 feet deep. Possession given at any time. Any further information can be had by applying to John Brandon, of Armagh, or the subscriber, at Altoona. LAWRENCE P. WORK.

Feb. 24. 1863–tf.

SUBSCRIPTION SCHOOL.—As the Public Schools will close May 15th, the undersigned have concluded to teach two months by subscription, in the room now occupied by them, to afford an opportunity to all who wish to continue their children at school a month or two longer.

Scholars will be received from any of the grades, and instructions given in any of the branches taught in the common schools. The school will open Monday, May 18th, 1863.

TERMS.—For each pupil, $1.00 per month, to be paid in the last week of each month.

JNO. RUTHERFORD,
May 28, 1863. M. B. McCRUM.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of James Flowers, late of Altoona, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, residing as aforesaid.—All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them without delay, duly authenticated for settlement.

MARY FLOWERS.
May 12. 1863–6t*] *Administratrix.*

SPECIAL NOTICE.—On and after JULY 1st. 1863. the privilege of converting the present issue of LEGAL TENDER NOTES INTO THE NATIONAL SIX PER CENT. LOAN (commonly called "Five Twenties" will cease.)

All who wish to invest in the Five-Twenty Loan, must, therefore, apply before the 1st of JULY next.

JAY COOKE,
April 14th, 63.] Subscription Agent,
[3m] No. 114 S. THIRD St., Philadelphia.

PLANTS.

PLANTS OF ALL KINDS—EARLY AND LATE—in hot beds and out—warranted to be of the best variety—to be had of J. RUTHERFORD, in *Coldwaterville*, during the transplanting season.

May 1st, 1863.—4t.

FOR RENT.—The basement of Work's new building, on Virginia street, adjoining Kessler's property, is offered for rent. Possession given immediately. For further information, apply to

LAWRENCE P. WORK,
Feb. 24. 1863–tf

A REGULAR MEETING OF THE ALTOONA FAIR VIEW CEMETERY ASSOCIATION will be held on the second Thursday evening of each month, in the Council Room. M. CLABAUGH,
JAS. LOWTHER, President.
Secretary. [May 15–'62]

CARPETS at old prices. Rag, Cottage Wool Filling—all very cheap. [May 12–3t] J. & J. LOWTHER.

NEW GOODS, at greatly reduced prices, at the Model. Call and see them. Ladies, we know they will please you. [May 12–3t] J. & J. LOWTHER.

SUN UMBRELLAS—Cotten, Gingham, Satin and Silk, bought at auction very cheap, and sold accordingly, at the Model. [May 12–3t] J. & J. LOWTHER.

THE CHEAPEST and largest assortment of Hoop Skirts in town is at the Model store. We can prove it.—Try us. [May 12–3t] J. & J. LOWTHER.

SOMETHING NEW. Rock Spun Silk, Crape de parril, Llama Wool, and all other new styles of Shawls, at the Model. [May 12–3t] J. & J. LOWTHER.

LINDSEY'S IMPROVED

BLOOD SEARCHER,

A SURE CURE FOR

Cancer,
Cancerous Formations,
Scrofula,
Cutaneous Diseases,
Erysipelas, Boils,
Pimples on the Face,
Sore Eyes,
Tetter Affections,
Scald Head,
Dyspepsia,
Costiveness,
Old and Stubborn Ulcers
Rheumatic Disorders,
Jaundice,
Salt Rheum,
Mercurial Diseases,
General Debility,
Liver Complaint,
Loss of Appetite,
Low Spirits,
Female Complaints,
Epilepsy or Fits,
Paralysis or Palsy,
Syphilitic Diseases and
Caries of the Bones.

Together with all other diseases having their origin in a depraved condition of the blood or circulatory system.

CASE OF DANIEL A. BOYD.

PITTSBURGH, December 31, 1861.

DR. G. H. KEYSER:—I take pleasure in making this voluntary statement in favor of a medicine prepared by you called "LINDSEY'S BLOOD SEARCHER." I had suffered for five years with Scrofula which broke out on my head and forehead so as to disfigure me very much, and took off the hair when the disease made its appearance; it also broke out on my arm above and below the elbow, and eat into the skin and flesh so as to expose a fearful sore. The disease on my head went so far that several small pieces of bone came out. I was very weak and low spirited, and had given up all hope of ever getting well, as I had tried several skillful physicians and they did me no good. In September last, 1861, I was induced to try "LINDSEY'S IMPROVED BLOOD SEARCHER." I must confess I had no faith in patent medicines, but after I had used three bottles of Blood Searcher, the ulcers on my head and arm began to heal. I have now taken eight or ten bottles, and my head and arm are entirely well except the scars remaining from the sores. I will also state that I had the rheumatism very bad in my arms and legs. The Blood Searcher also cured the rheumatism. I am now a well man, over forty years of age, and I feel as supple and young as I did when I was twenty, and have increased in weight twenty pounds. I would also state that the disease in my forehead was so bad that when I stooped and lifted anything heavy, the blood ran out of the sore. Dr. Keyser had a photograph taken of me by Mr. Cargo, the artist, after I began to get well. It does not show my appearance as bad as it was before I commenced taking the medicine. You can see the photograph, one of which is now in my possession, and also at Dr. Keyser's 140 Wood street. I would also state that I took the Blood Searcher which was made before Dr. Keyser commenced making it. Although it helped me some, I did not recover fast until I got the kind made by Dr. Keyser himself. One bottle of his did me more good than two of the old. I believe it is a great deal stronger and better. I have recommended the Blood Searcher to a great many of my friends for various diseases, and I believe it has helped the whole of them. You may publish this if you wish, and I am anxious that all who are afflicted as I was may be cured. I live in this city, No. 4 Pine street, and am employed at Collville & Anderson's Union Marble Works, 54 Wayne street.

DANIEL A. BOYD.

A BLIND MAN CURED.

I live in Sligo, at Clinton Mill and have been nearly blind in both eyes for nearly four years. I called on Dr Keyser about three months ago and asked him to give me directions to the Institution for the Blind in Philadelphia. He told me that I need not go to Philadelphia to get well as he had medicine that would cure me, as he said my disease was in the blood. I was treated for it two or three times in the hospital in this city, and was relieved, but my disease always returned after a month or two after I came out of the hospital. I found my disease was returning and I called, by the advice of a good friend of mine, on Dr. Keyser, who has restored my sight, and my eyes are nearly as well as ever. The Doctor gave me "Lindsey's Blood Searcher" and a wash.

DAVID KINNOLLY,
Clinton Mills, Sligo.

Pittsburg, July 5, 1861.

Witness—E. F. M'Elroy, Anderson street, Allegheny City.

A BAD SORE LEG CURED.

PITTSBURGH, September 18, 1861.—I hereby certify that I have had a sore leg for over a year. It was covered with ulcers and sores so that I could not work for nearly a year. My leg swelled so that I was unable to do anything for a long time, for at least six months. I tried several of the best doctors in the city, but without any benefit; finally I called on Dr. Keyser, at No. 140 Wood street, who only attended me about two weeks, and gave me but two bottles of medicine, and I am now entirely well and have continued so for six months. I am employed at the Eagle Engine House on Fourth street, where any one can see me.

THOMAS FARRELL.

CANCER CURED.

A LETTER FROM ENGLAND.—Mr. John Pope, of Blaenavon, near Montypool, Monmouthshire, England, writes as follows:

SIR:—An old woman in this place has wished me to write you respecting LINDSEY'S BLOOD SEARCHER, from which she found great benefit, and wishes to have a little more. She has been suffering from a disease of a cancerous nature for the last six or seven years. Her daughter who is living in America, obtained it for her, and sent her eighteen bottles. She is now quite out of it, and I have written to her daughter twice and have received no answer; of course she is anxious to get more, to get completely cured. I told her I would write to you for the agency in this country, and she felt very much pleased to hear me say so. I now beg to ask you on what terms you will supply me; you will please bear in mind the carriage, and supply me as cheap as possible. The carriage on the one dozen bottles was £1 8s 6d. The medicine was a present from her daughter. I would like to have the Blood Searcher in a jar or small cask, if you can send it in that way, or in pint or quart bottles. I will send a bill through bank or registered letter, which ever will be most convenient to you, if you will send me carrier's receipt o the parcel as security. I would send you a stamp to answer this, but as it is uncertain of this reaching you, on account of the country being in six and sevens, a term which is commonly used, you will be kind enough to charge me with the postage.

Yours, respectfully,
[Signed] JOHN POPE.

[We have seen the letter which is published in to-day's *Dispatch*, from John Pope, and believe it to be genuine.—*Editors Dispatch Pittsburgh.*

☞ *Look for Dr. Keyser's name over the corks to prevent being imposed upon.*

Prepared and sold by Dr GEORGE H. KEYSER, Pittsburgh Pa.

Sold in Altoona by A. ROUSH and G. W. KESSLER; in Hollidaysburg by J. S. PATTON and JACOB SNYDER.

June 26, 1862.–1y

HELMBOLD'S

GENUINE

PREPARATIONS

"HIGHLY CONCENTRATED"
COMPOUND FLUID EXTRACT BUCHU,
A Positive and Specific Remedy
For Diseases of the BLADDER, KIDNEYS, GRAVEL AND DROPSICAL SWELLINGS.

This Medicine increases the power of Digestion, and excites the ABSORBENTS into healthy action, by which the CATERY OR CALCAREOUS depositions, and all UNNATURAL ENLARGEMENTS, are reduced, as well as PAIN AND INFLAMMATION, and is good for MEN, WOMEN OR CHILDREN.

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUBHU.

For weakness arising from Excesses, Habits of Dissipation, Early Indiscretion or Abuse.

ATTENDED WITH THE FOLLOWIAG SYMPTOMS:

Indisposition to Exertion,	Difficulty of Breathing,
Loss of Memory	Loss of Power,
Weak Nerves,	Trembling,
Horror of Disease,	Wakefulness,
Dimness of Vision,	Pain in the Back,
Universal Lassitude of the Muscular System,	
Hot Hands,	Flushing of the Body,
Dryness of the Skin,	Eruptions of the Face,

PALLID COUNTENANCE.

These symptoms, if allowed to go on, which this medicine invariably removes, soon follows IMPOTENCY, FATUITY EPILEPTIC FITS, in one of which the patient may expire.

Who can say that they are not frequently followed by those "DIREFUL DISEASES,"

"INSANITY AND CONSUMPTION."

Many are aware of the cause of their suffering,
BUT NONE WILL CONFESS
THE RECORDT OF THE INSANE ASYLUMS,
And the melancholy Deaths by Consumption bear ample witness to the truth of the assertion.

THE CONSTITUTION ONCE AFFECTED WITH ORGANIC WEAKNESS,

Requires the aid of medicine to strengthen and invigorate the System, which HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU invariably does. A trial will convince the most skeptical.

FEMALES! FEMALES!!

OLD OR YOUNG, SINGLE, MARRIED OR CONTEMPLATING MARRIAGE.

In many affections peculiar to Females, the EXTRACT BUCHU is unequaled by any other remedy, as in Chlorosis or Retention, Irregularity, Painfulness or Suppression of Customary Evacuations, Ulcerated or Scirrhous state of the Uterus, Leucorrhœa or Whites, Sterility, and for all complaints incident to the sex, whether arising from indiscretion, Habits of Dissipation, or in the

DECLINE OR CHANGE OF LIFE.
SEE SYMPTONS ABOVE.

No Family Should be Without It.

Take no more Balsam, Mercury, or unpleasant Medicine for unpleasant and dangerous diseases.

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUBHU.
AND
IMPROVED ROSE WASH

CURES SECRET DISEASES

In all their stages, At little Expense,
Little or no change in Diet, No inconvenience
And no Exposure.

It causes a frequent desire and gives strength to Urinate, thereby Removing Obstructions, Preventing and Curing Strictures of the Urethra. Allaying Pain and Inflammation so frequent in the class of diseases, and expelling all Poisonous Diseases and worn-out Matter.

THOUSANDS UPON THOUSANDS who have been the victims of Quacks, and who have paid heavy fees to be cured in a short time, have found that they were deceived, and that the "POISON" has, by the use of "powerful astringents," been dried up in the system, to break out in an aggravated form, and perhaps after Marriage.

USE HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU for all affections and diseases of the

URINARY ORGANS,
Whether existing in
MALE OR FEMALE.
From whatever cause originating, and no matter at
HOW LONG STANDING.

Diseases of these organs require the aid of a DIURETIC
HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU
Is the Great DIURETIC, and is certain to have the desired effect in all diseases for which it is recommended.

Evidence of the most reliable and responsible character will accompany the medicines.

Certificates of Cures, from eight to twenty years standing, with names known to science and fame.

Price $1,00 Per Bottle, or Six for $5,

Delivered to any address, securely packed from any observation.

DESCRIBE SYMPTONS IN ALL COMMUNICATIONS.
Cures Guaranteed. Advice Gratis.

AFFIDAVIT.

Personally appeared before me, an Alderman of the city of Philadelphia, H. T. HELMBOLD, who being duly sworn, doth say, his preparation contains no narcotic, no mercury, or other injurious drugs, but are purely vegetable.

H. T. HELMBOLD.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 23d day of November, 1854. W. P. HIBBARD, Alderman,
Ninth St., above Race, Phila.

Address letters for information in confidence to
H. T. HELMBOLD, Chemist,
Depot, 104 South Tenth St., below Chestnut,
Philadelphia, Penn.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS AND UNPRINCIPLED DEALERS,

Who endeavor to dispose of "OF THEIR OWN" and "OTHER" articles on the reputation attained by Helmbold's Genuine Preparations,

do do Extract Buchu,
do do do Sarsaparilla,
do do Improved Rose Wash.

Sold by Druggists everywhere. Take no other. Cut out the advertisement and send for it, and avoid imposition and exposure.

September 17th, 1862–1y

THE Early Physical Degeneracy of

AMERICAN PEOPLE.

JUST PUBLISHED BY DR. A. STONE

Physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institute.

A Treatise on the Causes of Early Physical decline of American People—the cause of Nervous Debility, Consumption and Imbecility.

This work is one of high moral tone, written in chaste, yet thrilling language, and appeals directly to the moral consciousness of ALL PARENTS and Guardians especially, detailing scientific and reliable aids and treatment for cure.

It will be sent by mail on the receipt of two (3 cent) Stamps.

☞ Parents and Guardians! Fail not to send and obtain this book.

☞ Young men! Fail not to send and get this book.

☞ Ladies! You too should at once secure a copy of this book.

A Word of Solemn Conscientious Advice to those who will reflect.

A class of maladies prevail to a fearful extent in the community, dooming at least 100,000 youth of both sexes annually to an early grave. Those diseases are very imperfectly understood. Their external manifestation, or symptoms are Nervous Debility, Relaxation and Exhaustion; Muscular or wasting and consumption of the tissues of the whole body; shortness of breathing or hurried breathing on ascending a hill or flight of stairs; great palpitation of the Heart; Asthma, Bronchitis and sore Throat; Indistinct or dimness of vision; Neuralgia, Pain in various parts of the body; Pains in the back or limbs, Lumbago, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, irregularity of the bowels, deranged secretions of the Kidneys and other glands of the body, Hemorrhoids or Piles, Ulcers, &c. Likewise Epilepsy, Hysteria and Nervous Spasms.

Now, in ninety-nine cases out of every one hundred, all of the above named disorders, and a host of others not named, or Consumption of the Lungs and that most insidious and evil form of consumption of the Spinal Nerves, known as Tabes Dorsalis, and Tabes mesenterica, have their seat and origin in diseases of the Pelvic Viscera. Hence the want of success on the part of old school practice in curing or even relieving.

Dr. Andrew Stone, Physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institution, is now engaged in treating this class of modern maladies with the most astonishing success. The treatment adopted by the Institution is new, it is based upon scientific principles with new discoveries in medicines, without minerals or poisons. The facilities of cure are such that patients can be cured at their homes, in any part of the country, from accurate descriptions of their case, by letter; and have the medicines sent by Mail or express. Printed interrogatories will be forwarded on application.

☞ Consumption, Catarrh and diseases of the throat cured as well at the Home of the Patients as at the Institution, by sending the Cold Medicated INHALING BALSAMIC VAPORS, with plain and ample directions for their use, and direct correspondence.

☞ Patients applying for interrogatives or advice, must enclose return stamps, to meet attention.

☞ The attending Physician will be found at the Institution for consultation, from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., each day. Sunday in the forenoon.

Address DR. ANDREW STONE.

Physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institute, and Physician for Diseases of the Heart, Throat and Lungs, 96 Fifth Street, Troy, N. Y.

Altoona, Dec. 26th, 1862.-1y.

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Stationers and Storekeepers, will find it to their advantage to CALL AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK.

May 1st, 1862.-1y.

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM SALOON,

THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD INFORM the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that his CONFECTIONERY, NUT and FRUIT STORE, is always supplied with the very best articles to be had, and in great variety. He has also an

ICE CREAM SALOON

attached to his store, in which he will serve up ICE CREAM in the best style during the season.

FRESH-BAKED

BREAD, CAKES, & PIES,

always on hand, at reasonable rates.

He is at all times prepared to supply cakes, candies, &c., for pic-nics and other parties. He invites a share of public patronage, believing that he can render full satisfaction to all.

Remember, his store and saloon is on Virginia street, two doors below Patton's Hall. OTTO ROSSI.

Altoona, April 28, 1863.-tf.

WM. S. BITTNER

Dental Surgeon.

OFFICE IN MASONIC TEMPLE, next door to the Post Office.

Dr. B. would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and surrounding country, that he is prepared to insert

ARTIFICIAL TEETH!

from a single tooth to a full set, in the most superior style,

ON GOLD, SILVER, OR VULCANITE BASE.

It would be to the advantage of all persons desiring artificial teeth, to call at his office before going elsewhere, if they wish cheapness, beauty or durability.

Full sets of teeth on vulcanite base, as low as $10 to $15.

" " " on silver " " 10 to 15

" " " on gold " " 50

EVERY SET OF TEETH WARRANTED.

Dr. Bittner will visit Hollidaysburg and vicinity when his services are desired. [Feb. 17, 1863-tf.

A FARM AT PRIVATE SALE.

A RARE CHANCE FOR CAPITALISTS!

GRABILL MYERS offers his Farm, containing 225 acres, for sale. 100 acres are cleared and under good cultivation; the balance is timbered with Chestnut and Oak. It is situated in Logan township,

THREE MILES NORTH-EAST OF ALTOONA, PA.,

where there is a Market almost equal to any city in the State. It cannot fail of being a good investment, as the surrounding lands must increase in value by a ratio with the improvements of the town. The buildings are a good Dwelling House, a new Bank Barn, and all other out-buildings. There are on the premises 100 Apple Trees—Choice Fruit—Peach, Pear, Plum, and Cherry Trees. The soil is Red Shale, second only to Limestone. For further particulars call and see the Farm, or address

G. L. MYERS,

April 21, 1863.* Altoona, Pa.

NEW GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE,

Corner of Annie and Harriet Streets,

EAST ALTOONA.

THE subscribers would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona, that they have just received and opened out a large and complete assortment of Groceries, Provisions and Liquors, which they will sell at the lowest cash prices. They have also a large supply of Extra "Bellville Extra," and Extra Family Flour, in barrels, and ½ barrels in sacks; also, Chop and Corn Meal, Buttes and Feed from the country; also, an extensive stock of Groceries, consisting of Sugars, Molasses, Syrups, Coffee, &c., also, Ham, Bacon, Dried Beef, Fish of all kinds, Salt, Crackers, Cheese, Spices, Tobacco, Cigars, Buckets, Brooms, Tubs, Byskets, Dried Fruit, Confectioneries, Queensware, Glassware, Coal Oil Lamps, Coal Oil, Fish Oil, &c., &c., &c., all of which we propose to sell at small profits FOR CASH.

Altoona, Jan. 1, '63-6m. D. M. BARE & CO.

WEST BRANCH INSURANCE CO., LOCK HAVEN, PA.

PREMIUM NOTES IN FORCE.....405,000.

Insures property on as reasonable terms as are consistent with security.

DIRECTORS:

G. C. Henry,	O. D. Satterlee,
J. B. Hall,	Jacob Brown,
P. M. Foke,	Allison White,
Simon Scott,	C. A. Mayer,
Abel Hoke,	W. Fearon.

O. D. SATTERLEE, V. P. G. C. HARVEY, Pres't.

J. W. CHERMAN, Secretary.

July 3, '62-1y.] R. A. O. KERR, Agent, Altoona.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS just received and for sale by (oct. 15-tf) J. B. HILEMAN.

ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS, Trusses

of the best kinds. Braces for sale at

1-tf. G. W. KESSLER'S.

NORTH WARD AHEAD!

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

AT OLD PRICES.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of Altoona and surrounding country that he has just returned from the east, where he has been selecting his stock of Spring and Summer Goods, which for style, quality and Price cannot be surpassed in this neck of country. His stock is much larger than heretofore, and, as it is quite an object in these war-exciting times for every one to purchase where they can get the BEST article at the LOWEST PRICE, he would say that he can and will sell AS LOW, if not A LITTLE LOWER THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE in this place. He wishes all to call and see his stock before purchasing elsewhere, as he feels confident that he can offer inducements which will DEFY COMPETITION. His stock consists of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

MEN AND BOYS' SUMMER WEAR,

LADIES' AND MISSES' DRESS SHOES,

MEN AND BOYS' BOOTS AND SHOES,

MEN AND WOMEN'S HOSE, HATS AND CAPS.

Ginghams, Lawns, Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, Dried Peaches and Dried Apples, Plain and Canvassed Hams, &c., &c., &c.

He will sell the AMERICAN PRINTS at 12½ cents.

FAST MADDER COLORS, " 10 "

FANCY DELAINES, from 12½ to 25 "

Fine Bleached MUSLINS yard wide, 12½ "

" " " ⅞ " " 10 "

" " " ¾ " " 6¼ "

Heavy Unbl'ched " yard " 12½ "

" " " ⅞ " 8 and 10 "

LAWNS, from 8 to 15 "

LADIES' SLIPPERS, from 40 to 50 "

" Fine, French, Sewed, Heeled BOOTEES, $1 25

" Pegged " 1 00

MEN'S CALF BOOTS, 2 75

" GOAT " 2 50

BOYS' GOAT, (Nos. 4 and 5,) 1 50

MEN AND BOYS' OXFORD TIES, from 75 cents to 1 00

MEN'S CALF MOCCASINS, 1 00

All sizes of MISSES' & CHILDREN'S SHOES, very low

GROCERIES Rio Coffee at 25 cents, White Sugar 11 and 12½ cents. Brown Sugar from 7 to 10 cts.; Best Honey and Lowering's Syrup, at 60 cts.; Sugar House Molasses, 40 cts.; Baking Molasses, 31 to 40 cts.; together with Cedar and Willow Ware; Flour, Feed, &c., and all other articles of Goods just as low as any other house can sell. Please call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere.

J. A. SPRANKLE.

Altoona, May 1, 1862] North Ward.

EMPORIUM OF FASHION!!

Virginia St., Altoona, Pa.

D. W. A. BELFORD, Proprietor.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE "EMPORIUM OF FASHION" would respectfully announce to the public that he has received a large invoice of

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS,

and a general assortment of

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

Collars, Neck-Ties, Suspenders, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, &c., &c., &c.,

exactly suited to this locality and intended for the

AUTUMN AND WINTER TRADE.

The proprietor of the Emporium invites an examination of his stock, feeling confident that his shelves present a greater variety of plain and fancy goods than can be found elsewhere in the country. An examination will convince any one of this fact.

He has also received the

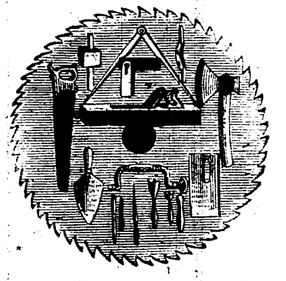
LATEST FASHION,

and being a perfect "Cutter," he has no hesitancy in saying that he can make up clothing in the fashion, and in a manner that can not fail to prove satisfactory. It has passed into a proverb that

Belford's the very man that can make,
Clothes in the fashion, strong and cheap
All that have ever tried him yet,
Say that he really cant be beat.

Remember the place, Virginia street, first door above Jaggard's Hall, Altoona, Pa. [April 17, '62.

HARDWARE.



The subscriber having taken entire charge of the Hardware and Stove and Tin Shop recently under the charge of Pries & Winters, on Virginia street, opposite Kessler's Drug Store, and having added largely to his stock is now prepared to supply anything in the Hardware and Cutlery line, such as Handsaws, Axes, Augers, Adzes, Chisels, Squares, Rules, Hammers, Planes, Hinges, Locks, Latches, Files, Knives and Forks, Spoons, &c., &c., all of which he offers on the most reasonable terms.

Persons wishing anything in the Hardware line are requested to call and examine his stock.

He has also added Oils, Paints, Carbon Oil, etc., to his stock, and will dispose of all these articles at a small advance on first cost.

He will also continue the

STOVE BUSINESS,

and will keep on hand an assortment from which any person will be able to select an article to please their fancy.

In the line of

TIN AND SHEET IRONWARE, CEDAR and WILLOW-WARE,

he will always have a large supply, and will make to order anything that may be called for.

Job work in this line promptly attended to.

ROOFING AND SPOUTING

put up on short notice in the best style.

April 21, 1863.-tf. SAMUEL I. FRIES.

HARDWARE!

HARDWARE

CHARLES J. MANN,

DEALER IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC HARDWARE,

WOODEN WARE, BROOMS, WINDOW SHADES, DOOR MATS,

UPHOLSTERING GOODS, SHOE FINDINGS, COFFIN TRIMMINGS,

MOULDERS' TOOLS, BIRD CAGES AND WIRE GOODS, WINDOW GLASS,

PUTTY, WHITE LEAD, &C., &C.

☞ Every description of Goods in his line will be furnished at short notice, and at low rates for cash.

His remaining stock of DRY GOODS on hand will be closed out at remarkably low prices, in order to relinquish that branch of the business.

Agent for Whitson's "Telegraph Fodder Cutter."

Altoona, May 29th, 1862.

GROCERY & PROVISION STORE,

Annie Street, East Altoona, a few doors above Branch Street.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS JUST RECEIVED a large and fresh stock of GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c., which he will sell at prices equally as low as his competitors. His stock consists of

FLOUR, FEED, BACON, HAMS, FISH, SALT, POTATOES, COFFEE, SUGAR, TEA, SPICES, CRACKERS, CHEESE, TOBS, BRUSHES, BUCKETS, BROOMS, RAISINS, LEMONS, ORANGES, FIGS, DATES, COMBS, SOAPS, KNIVES, BUTTER, EGGS, CONFECTIONERIES, DRIED FRUIT, AND DRUGS OF ALL KINDS.

I invite the public to call and examine my stock, as I am determined to please in quality and price.

May 8, 1862-tf WM. H. PERCIVAL.

GREAT PILES OF PANTALOONS for Men and Boys, at LAUGHMAN'S

ONWARD! ONWARD!!

EXCELSIOR OUR MOTTO!

NOW OPEN

On the corner of Branch and Annie Streets,

EAST ALTOONA,

AN ENTIRELY

NEW STOCK OF GOODS!

HAVING DISPOSED OF THE entire stock of old goods in the above stand at auction, we desire to say to the public that we have just opened out an

ENTIRELY NEW STOCK

to which we invite the attention of the public. We are determined to sell at the

VERY LOWEST PRICES.

Our stock embraces a large and complete assortment of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

consisting, in part, of plain and fancy Silks, all-wool Delaines, Alpacas, Challie Delaines, plain and figured Berege, Lawns, Ginghams, Ducals, De Barge, Travelling Dress Goods, and all the

LATEST STYLE PRINTS.

Men's Wear.

We have received a large and well selected stock of GENTLEMEN'S DRESS GOODS, such as Cloths, plain and fancy Cassimeres, Cashmerets, Tweeds, Jeans, Corduroys, Beaver Teens, Velvet Cords, and other fashionable goods for men and boys.

WHITE GOODS.

Irish Linen, Cambrics, Victoria Lawns, plain and dotted Swiss, Bobinets, Edgings, &c.

We have a large assortment of Ladies' Needlework Collars and Sets, Dress Trimmings, Ribbons, Gloves, Gauntlets, Mitts, Hosiery, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Veils, &c. Also, Ticking, Checks, bleached and unbleached Muslins, Cotton and Linen Diaper, Crash, &c.

Also, a fine assortment of

SPRING SHAWLS.

We have received a large lot of

BOOTS AND SHOES, LADIES' GAITERS,

HATS & CAPS, SHAKER BONNETS, &c.,

which we are determined to sell cheaper than ever.

QUEEENSWARE, CEDAR AND WILLOW-WARE.

HARDWARE,

Groceries, Flour, Bacon, Cheese, Syrups, Molasses, Mackerel, Herring, Carbon Oil, Fish Oil, Drugs and Medicines,

and, in fact, everything usually kept in a first-class Store.

☞ As we make our purchases almost entirely for cash, and as we will sell for

CASH ONLY,

AND KEEP NO BOOKS, it will enable us to sell Goods at very moderate prices; and by fair dealing and strict attention to business we hope to secure a liberal share of public patronage.

GEIS & CO.

Altoona, April 15, 1862-tf

ESTABLISHED 1760.

PETER LORILLARD,

Snuff & Tobacco MANUFACTURER,

16 & 18, CHAMBERS ST.,

(Formerly 42 Chatham St., New York.)

would call the attention of Dealers to the articles of his manufacture, viz.:

BROWN SNUFF.

Macaboy, Demigros, Fine Rappee, Coarse Rappee, Pure Virginia, Nachitoches, American Gentleman, Copenhagen.

YELLOW SNUFF.

Scotch, Honey Dew Scotch, High Toast Scotch, Fresh Honey Dew Scotch, Irish High Toast, or Lundyfoot, Fresh Scotch.

☞ Attention is called to the great reduction in prices of Fine-Cut Chewing and Smoking Tobaccos, which will be found of a superior quality.

TOBACCO.

SMOKING.—Long, No. 1, No. 2, Nos. 1 and 2 mixed, Granulated, S. Jags, Spanish, Canaster, Turkish.

FINE CUT CHEWING.—P. A. L., or plain, Cavendish, or Sweet, Sweet Scented Oronoco, Tin Foil Cavendish.

N. B.—A circular of prices will be sent on application.

April 14, 63,-1y.]

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH!

VICKSBURG REPORTED TAKEN!

L. Plack's the place to get your Bacon!

I would respectfully inform the public in general, that I have lately been West and purchased one of the best and largest lots of

SUGAR-CURED HAMS & SHOULDERS

ever brought to this market. I have 2500 Hams and 700 Shoulders, which I will sell at reasonable prices. Persons wishing to buy by the quantity will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere, as I will sell at Pittsburgh market prices.

March 31st, 1863.] LOUIS PLACK.

BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE.—The subscribers offer at Private Sale EIGHT BUILDING LOTS, situate on the top of the hill, above the reservoir of the Altoona Gas & Water Company, being now held as property by the Presbyterian Church. The lots are fifty feet front by 175 feet deep, and will be sold on reasonable terms. Persons wishing to purchase or view these lots will receive all information concerning them by applying to Michael Clabaugh, R. H. McCormick, Alexander McCormick, or Chas. J. Mann, Trustees of Presbyterian Church. [Altoona, April 3, 1862.

ANDREW ECKEL,

DEALER IN

Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Pipes, &c., &c.,

Annie street, Altoona, Pa., and McKeage's Old Stand, Montgomery street, Hollidaysburg, Pa.

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT of Goods in his line constantly on hand at the lowest cash prices. [Feb. 7, 1863.

DRIED APPLES.—The subscribers have a fine lot of bright yellow DRIED APPLES, bought at much less than market rates, and which they desire to close out, at cost and carriage, without delay.—Persons desiring to purchase, either at wholesale or retail, will find it to their advantage to give us a call.

Altoona, June 26, 1862.] MURPHY & McPIKE.

S. M. WOODKOK,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

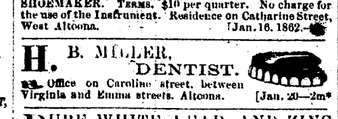
Altoona, Penn'a,

Will practice in the several Courts of Blair, Cambria and Huntingdon counties. Office on Virginia Street, 2 doors above Julia Street.

Feb. 3, 1863-tf.

BLAIR COUNTY INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, agent of the Protection Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Blair county, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchantize Furniture and property of every description*, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State. Office in the *Tribune* office.

E. B. McCRUM, *Agent.*



MUSIC!—INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN on the Piano-Forte and Melodeon, by Miss M. SHOEMAKER. TERMS, $10 per quarter. No charge for the use of the Instrument. Residence on Catharine Street, West Altoona. [Jan. 16, 1862.

H. B. MILLER, DENTIST.

☞ Office on Caroline street, between Virginia and Emma streets, Altoona. [Jan. 29—2m*

PURE WHITE LEAD AND ZINC Paint, also Chrome Green, Yellow, Paris Green, Dry and ground oil at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

PLAIN & FANCY VESTS, of every size and style at LAUGHMAN'S.

R. A. O. KERR,

ALTOONA, PA.,

Agent for Blair & Huntingdon Counties.

THESE MACHINES ARE PERMITTED to be the best ever offered to the public, and their superiority is satisfactorily established by the fact that in the last eight years,

OVER 1,400 MORE

of these Machines have been sold than of any other manufactured, and more medals have been awarded the proprietors by different Fairs and Institutes than to any others. The Machines are warranted to do all that is claimed for them. They are now in use in several families in Altoona, and in every case they give entire satisfaction.

The Agent refers those desiring information as the superiority of the Machines, to Col. John L. Piper, Rev. A. B. Clark, George Hawkesworth, Benj. F. Rose, and E. H. Turner, Esqrs.

The machines can be seen and examined at the store of the Agent, at Altoona.

Price of No. 1 Machine, silver plated, glass foot and new style Hemmer—$65. No. 2, ornamental bronze, glass foot and new style Hemmer—$55. No. 3, plain, with old style Hemmer—$45. [March 21, 1861-tf.

POKED OUT AGAIN!

The undersigned would respectfully solicit the patronage of the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, as he has again opened out

AT HIS OLD STAND,

on Virginia st., a few doors below the Supt's Office,

with an entirely new and fresh supply of

PROVISIONS AND GROCERIES,

such as

FLOUR, BACON, FISH, SALT, POTATOES, CHEESE, CORN-MEAL, MILL-FEED OATS, RYE, CORN,

TEAS of all kinds, COFFEE, SUGAR, SYRUPS, BAKING MOLASSES, TOBACCO, SEGARS, DRIED FRUIT, SOAP, CANDLES, BROOMS, BRUSHES, Crockery, Wooden and Willow Ware, Stationery, Notions, Candies, &c. Also a large stock of

LIQUORS!

All the above goods will be sold, Wholesale or Retail, at the lowest prices. Come one—come all! See for yourselves, and be convinced. No charge for examining my stock. LOUIS PLACK.

April 17, '62-tf.

STOVES, TIN AND SHEET-IRON WARE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESPECTFULLY announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has taken the store and shop recently occupied by Pries & Winters, on *Annie street, East Altoona*, where he has on hand a large supply of STOVES *of all Patterns*, such as Cook, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves, which he will sell at the most reasonable prices. A large supply will always be kept on hand

TIN AND SHEET-IRON WARE, in great variety, always on hand.

ROOFING & SPOUTING put up on short notice.

He has also attached a copper-smithing room to his establishment and will keep on hand an assortment of copper and brass kettles, &c.

All kinds of job work promptly attended to.

April 21st 1863.-tf STEPHEN WINTERS.

THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTfully informs the public that he will continue to keep a

BOOT & SHOE STORE,

in the room recently occupied by Roberts and Rutherford. The business heretofore carried on by them will, in the future, be in the name of JOHN H. ROBERTS.

He will keep constantly on hand a complete assortment of

Boots & Shoes,

GAITERS, SLIPPERS, &c., &c., &c.

which he will offer at fair prices and warrant to be of the best material and manufacture. Particular attention will be given to

CUSTOM WORK,

in which he warrants to give entire satisfaction, as he buys the best stock and employs none but the best workmen.

Remember the old stand, on Virginia Street, one door East of Kessler's Drug Store.

Oct. 10 1862-tf. JOHN H. ROBERTS.

CARPETINGS & BEDDING.

REMOVAL.

R. L. KNIGHT & SON

Have removed from 262 S. Second Street, to

807 CHESTNUT ST., above Eighth,

where they have opened a well-selected stock of

CARPETS, OIL-CLOTHS & MATTINGS,

BEDDING AND MATTRESSES

of every description, Ready-made or made to orders

FEATHERS.

Various qualities always on hand.

The Manufacture and sale of Bedding will also be continued at 262 S. Second Street.

April 14, 1863. R. L. KNIGHT.

[3m.] EARTLEY KNIGHT.

FARMERS TAKE NOTICE.—The undersigned is about starting a Tannery, and wishes to buy or trade for

400 CORDS

of good ROCK OAK BARK, and also for HIDES, for which the highest market price will be paid.

Altoona, April 17, '62 tf. LOUIS PLACK.

J. G. ADLUM,

Notary Public,

ALTOONA, BLAIR CO., PA.

Can at all times be found at the store of J. B. Hileman.

October 1, 1857.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.—A large and varied stock of FRESH GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS, just received, and for sale as cheap as the cheapest, at MURPHY & McPIKE'S Store, Cor. of Virginia and Caroline sts.

Altoona, June 26, 1862.

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF Gent's Model Improved SHIRTS—Cassimere and Muslin Shirts—fine and coarse—white and colored—at LAUGHMAN'S.

O YES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw nigh and hear. JOSEPH P. TROUT announces to the public, that he is ready to discharge his duty as an Auctioneer whenever called upon. [Jan. 2 '56.

NEW AND IMPROVED STYLES of Trunks, Valises and Carpet-Bags, at LAUGHMAN'S.

NEW WINTER READY MADE Clothing just received at LAUGHMAN'S.

SPECTACLES AND EYE PRESERVERS for sale at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

MEN AND BOYS' COATS, of every style and color, of good quality, at LAUGHMAN'S.

NEW STOCK OF BOOTS & SHOES for Men and Boys, Ladies and Misses, just rec'd at LAUGHMAN'S.

AMERICAN Life Insurance and Trust Co.

COMPANY'S BUILDING Southeast Corner of Walnut and Fourth Streets, Philad'a

Authorized Capital,	$500,000
Paid up Capital,	250,000
Assets,	1,897,746

Incorporated 1850, by the Legislature of Pennsylvania.

Insures Lives during the Natural life or for short terms, grants annuities and endowments, and makes contracts of all kinds depending on the issues of life.

Policies of Life Insurance issued at the usual mutual rates of other good companies—with profits to the assured—last Bonus January, 1861, being 43 per cent. of all premiums received on mutual policies—at Joint Stock rates, 20 per cent less than the above, or Total Abstinence rates 40 per cent. less than Mutual price. Also, a

NON-FORFEITURE PLAN,

By which a person pays for 5, 7, or 10 years only, when the policy is paid up for LIFE, and nothing more to pay; and should he be unable, or wish to discontinue sooner, the Company will issue a PAID UP POLICY, in proportion to the amount of premium paid, as follows:

On a Policy of $1,000, after payment of	5 Year rates.	7 Year rates.	10 Year rates.
1 Annual Premium, for	$200 00	$142 85	$100 00
2 " " "	400 00	285 70	200 00
4 " " "	800 00	571 40	400 00
6 " " "	———	857 10	600 00
8 " " "	———	———	800 00

ALEXANDER WHILLDIN, President.
SAMUEL WORK, Vice President.
JOHN S. WILSON, Secretary. Samuel Work.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Alexander Whilldin,	J. Edgar Thomson,
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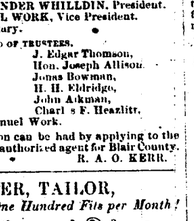
William J. Howard,	Charles F. Heazlitt,

Any further information can be had by applying to the undersigned, who is the authorized agent for Blair County.

July 31, 1862 1y R. A. O. KERR.

JACOB SNYDER, TAILOR,

The Hero of One Hundred Fits per Month!



I would respectfully set forth my claim to public attention, as a Fashionable Tailor as follows:

Because I keep an excellent assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Trimmings, which, when examined, always please.

Because my work is made up in a manner that takes down the country and gives all my customers a city appearance.

Because I am not inferior as a Cutter to the best to be found anywhere.

Because long experience in my business gives me entire control over it, and I am not dependant upon any one to fit me out of the suds.

Because I am still on the sunny side of forty, and therefore my taste as a Cutter and workman unimpaired.

Call on me, in the corner room of the "Brant House." Give me a trial and you will go away pleased.

Altoona, May 26-5m JACOB SNYDER.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!

Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest possible light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.

Aug. 19, 1858-tf. G. W. KESSLER.

Stoves, Tin and Sheet Iron Ware.

SPOUTING, &C.

S. RUGG WOULD RESPECTfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of *Cooking, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves*, of all styles and sizes, to suit the wants of all, which he will sell at low prices, on reasonable terms.

He also keeps on hand a large stock of *Tin and Sheet-Iron Ware*, consisting of articles for culinary purposes—*Coal Scuttles, Stove Pipe, &c.*

He has also purchased the right of sale in Blair county, of R. V. JONES'

IMPROVED SAUSAGE STUFFER,

an invention which needs only to be seen to be appreciated, and should be possessed by every farmer, butcher or those requiring such a machine.

☞ Particular attention paid to putting up SPOUTING, either in town or country. Spouting painted and put up on the most reasonable terms. [april 14, 1859-1y

NATIONAL POLICE GAZETTE.—This Great Journal of Crime and Criminals is in its Twelfth Year, and is widely circulated throughout the country. It contains all the Great Trials, Criminal Cases, and appropriate Editorials on the same, together with information on Criminal Matters, not to be found in any other newspaper.

☞ Subscriptions $2 per annum; $1 for six months; to be remitted by subscribers, (who should write their names and the town, county and State where they reside plainly.)

To G. W. MATSELL & CO.,
Editor & Prop'r. of New York Police Gazette.
15-tf] *New York City.*

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will always be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage, and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

I have just received a stock of No. 1 French Brandy, for medicinal purposes.

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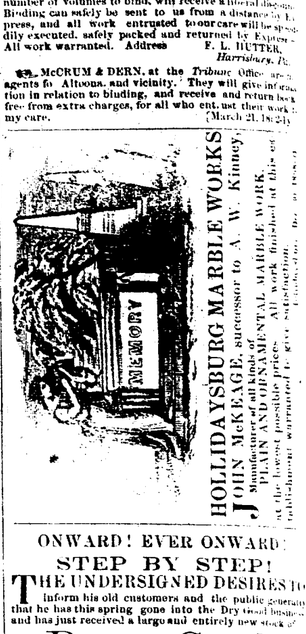

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